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## ELECT TOWNSHIP OFFICERS TUESDAY

POSITIONS TO BE FILLED IN EACH COUNTY DISTRICT.

## VOTING BOOTHS WILL BE AT USUAL PLACES

Hughes Will Vote on \$30,000 Road Bonds Issue—Democratic Candidates for Polk Are Capable Men.

**Polk Township Democratic Ticket.**  
Trustee—W. F. Bolin.  
Collector—W. L. Robey.  
Assessor—E. E. Tilton.  
Members of township board—B. F. Dougan and A. A. Wiley.  
Justice of the peace—W. L. Johnson.  
Constable—Robert Jones.

**Township Polling Places.**  
First ward—J. L. Tilton's barn, 209 East Fourth.  
Second ward—Robey's garage, 114 West Fourth.  
Third ward—John Gray's livery barn, 114 West Second.  
Fourth ward—Rear Empire theater, East Second street.

Polling places open from 7 o'clock tomorrow morning until sundown, or about 6:30 o'clock tomorrow night.

The regular biennial township elections will be held in each of the fifteen townships of Nodaway county tomorrow to choose a collector, trustee, assessor, constable, two members of a township board, and between one and five justices of the peace. Most of the polling places will be at the usual places, and the polls will be open from 7 o'clock in the morning until 6 o'clock at night, or sundown.

While the competition has not been strong for the various offices, the Democrats and Republicans each have their men picked for the positions in the different townships. The balloting is not expected to be heavy tomorrow, largely because of the extremely bad roads, which will make it difficult for many rural folk to go to the polls.

**Hughes May Improve Bridges.**  
The voters of Hughes township also will vote on a proposition for the issuance of \$30,000 in bonds for permanent bridge and culvert improvements in that township. It is reported that much favor of the bond issue is being expressed by the taxpayers, despite the additional tax it would create.

The polling place for this election will be at Graham, in the same building in which the regular township votes are cast. The judges will be Clarence R. Leeper, Dwight Davis and Charles Groves. The clerks are Will B. Gex and August Neuffer.

If the proposition carries the plan is to issue bonds bearing not to exceed 6 per cent interest, and payable in not more than fifteen annual installments, the first to be paid not later than two years after the bonds are issued.

**The Election Officials.**  
The Polk township election judges, of which the first two named are Democrats and the last two Republicans, are:

Precinct A, fourth ward—C. A. Barman, Jonathan Stark, R. D. Stewart, John D. Herron.

Precinct B, third ward—John R. Evans, R. A. Strawbridge, A. R. Souers, A. S. Watson.

Precinct C, second ward—A. H. Hughes, Henry Trullinger—C. D. Hooker, L. E. Rogers.

Precinct D, first ward—L. H. Frazer, E. F. Wolfert, John L. Tilton, D. A. Appleby.

**Polk Democratic Racers.**  
The Democrats of Polk township have a good ticket and it is predicted that they will win. Headed by W. F. Bolin for trustee, who will make an efficient officer, the ticket is composed of W. L. Robey for collector, E. E. Tilton for assessor, B. F. Dougan and A. A. Wiley for members of the township board, Judge W. L. Johnson for justice of the peace, and Robert Jones for constable.

Both Messrs. Wiley and Dougan, for board members, are well qualified for the offices which they seek. They are good roads advocates and will keep up with that work.

Mr. Robey, for collector, is well fitted for the position and will make a capable officer.

Eph Tilton, for assessor, is well known over the township, and everybody knows his good qualities. He is the man for the place.

For constable, Robert Jones would make a good one. He is a capable man and would make one of the best constables Polk township has ever had.

Everybody knows the good qualities of Lyle Johnson for justice of the peace. He has held that office for some years and has given satisfaction. He should be re-elected. A vote for him will be for justice.

Go to the polls tomorrow and vote the Democratic ticket and you will vote for good men who are capable of filling the office which they seek.

## ARRANGE FAIR ATTRACTION

"Fearless" Blondin Will Repeat Pyrotechnical Display at County Fair—New Features.

A contract was made this morning by J. A. Ford, manager of the Maryville-Nodaway County Fair and Agricultural association, with "Fearless" Blondin of Omaha for a repetition of his feature pyrotechnical display each night during the Nodaway county fair here the last two days of August and first four days of September.

Mr. Blondin and Mrs. Blondin, who assists him, came here Saturday from Omaha to arrange for the display, and also for putting on a fireworks exhibition here July 3 and 4. In addition to the usual pyrotechnical displays of last summer, Mr. Blondin promises an entirely new one which is indicative of the European war.

It consists of a huge warship at anchor in the sea. At a distance a submarine is seen to shoot a torpedo towards the ship. It succeeds in blowing up the ship and all goes up in flames.

There also will be a race between two monkeys on bicycles, while Blondin also has arranged illumination for himself.

## ATTENDS POULTRY MEETING.

J. H. Saylor, Secretary Local Association, Delegate to St. Joseph State Association.

J. H. Saylor, secretary of the Northwest Missouri Poultry association, went to St. Joseph this morning to attend a state poultry meeting there today. It will be held in the St. Charles hotel.

Fred Robinson, also an officer of the local association, intended to go, but was compelled later to be in Kansas City today. He may attend a state poultry meeting there tomorrow, however.

Poultry topics will be discussed and illustrated views of the state experimental station in Mountain Grove, the most modern in the country, will be shown by means of stereopticon slides.

A. A. Coult, president of the state poultry board; T. E. Quisenberry, director of the state experimental station, and Fred Crosby, secretary of the State Poultry association, will be there.

Among subjects discussed will be that of a Missouri exhibit of poultry at the Panama exposition in San Francisco.

Here from New York.

O. C. Breese of Elmira, N. Y., arrived in Maryville this morning to spend a few days visiting in the city. While here Mr. Breese will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moore.

## CHANGES IN CHURCH

PRESBYTERIAN BOARD OF ELDERLY INCREASED TO NINE.

## JACKSON HEAD TRUSTEE

Succeeds Charles Wadley, While Number is Increased by Three—Held Three Services Yesterday.

The yearly congregational meeting of the First Presbyterian church, for the purpose of electing a board of trustees and elders was held yesterday morning at the regular church service hour.

The board of elders was augmented by one, making a board of nine members, two of these to be from the rural membership of the church. Those whose terms expired yesterday were Roy J. Curfman, clerk of the board, and Dr. F. M. Martin. Each was elected to succeed themselves and Charles Wadley was elected to the place held by the late George W. Demott. A. S. Watson was chosen as the new member. The personnel of the board now is Joseph Jackson, Sr., G. H. Colbert, S. G. Gillam, T. M. C. Neff, S. E. Farmer, Dr. F. M. Martin, A. S. Watson, Charles Wadley and Roy Curfman.

Joseph Jackson, Jr., was elected to fill the place of Charles Wadley, president of the board of trustees. Martin Lewis, treasurer, and Fred French, secretary of the board were each re-elected. A vote was taken to raise the board of trustees from seven to ten members and the new ones selected were C. Edwin Wells, Fred Yeomans and Prof. H. P. Swinehart. The other members of the board are John Richey, D. E. Hotchkiss and John Dempsey.

Three services were held yesterday by the pastor, the Rev. S. D. Harkness, who is conducting a ten days evangelistic service.

At 11 o'clock the Rev. Mr. Harkness preached from the subject "Prayer." The sermon was of the character to hold the intense interest of the audience which crowded the auditorium. At this hour a number of new members were received into the church.

In the afternoon the Rev. Mr. Harkness held a special service for men at which he made an address on the subject of "Memories That Trouble." The music was given by a quartet composed of Harvey McClary, Prof. H. B. Schuler, George F. Davis and Prof. John Cameron. In the evening an evangelistic service was held and the Rev. Mr. Harkness talked from the subject "The Folly of Neglect."

The services will be held nightly this week, beginning at 7:45 o'clock each night. In addition to the sermon, a special musical program will be given.

The subject of the Rev. Mr. Harkness' sermon for tonight will be "Should a Man Bother With Christianity?"

## SOCIOLOGY EXPERT DIES.

Dr. Charles R. Henderson, Professor University of Chicago, Succumbs.

By American Press.  
Charleston, S. C., March 29.—Dr. Charles R. Henderson, professor of sociology in the University of Chicago, died here today after a short illness. Dr. Henderson was widely known for his work in sociology.

## CLYDE COUNCIL TO DEBATE.

Will Discuss Leading Topic at Fortnightly Meeting Friday Night.

Friday night the Clyde Culture council, a social and literary organization which holds fortnightly meetings at the Clyde school house, near Hopkins, will have a debate on the question "Resolved, That the United States government Should Own and Operate a Merchant Marine." The leaders in the debate will be B. E. Blackney and A. A. Ringgold.

This debate will be the last one of the year. The school term closes on April 16, and at this time a program will be given by the children. The proceeds obtained from this entertainment will apply toward a library fund for the school.

**Installs New Switch Board.**  
A new switch board was installed last week in the office of the Mutual telephone exchange at Barnard. The new apparatus is a double one and a great improvement on the old one. Other changes are to be made for the betterment of the service at Barnard.

Miss Bess Scott returned Saturday night from Albany, where she had been the past week directing a musical chorus for a home talent play given at that place Friday night.

## U. C. T. PICK OFFICERS

United Commercial Travelers Elect H. T. Hooker, Senior Counselor—E. G. Orear, Secretary-Treasurer.

The annual election of officers was held in the Knights of Pythias hall Saturday night by local lodge No. 484 of the United Commercial Travelers. The new officers were then installed into office. They are chosen by advancement. Those selected were: Senior counselor, Hal T. Hooker. Junior counselor, Earl Barmann. Past counselor, J. H. Thorp. Secretary-treasurer, E. G. Orear. Conductor, P. J. Basford. Page, T. K. Wray. Sentinel, T. C. Hallowell.

Members of executive committee for two-year terms, J. H. Sewell and F. P. Reuillard.

Members of executive committee for one-year terms, E. B. Sheldon and George J. Moore.

Delegate to grand council to be held in Jefferson City, June 4 and 5, Hal T. Hooker. Alternate, J. H. Alay.

The principal past officers were: Senior counselor, J. H. Thorp; junior counselor, Hal T. Hooker; past counselor, S. O. Hutchison; secretary-treasurer since 1910, E. G. Orear; conductor, Earl Barmann; page, P. J. Basford; sentinel, T. K. Wray.

The local lodge of the U. C. T. now has a membership of fifty-four. All are now or have been traveling salesmen.

## START DIGGING WELL SOON

W. M. Edwards, Fulton, Will Supervise Installation of Water System for Electric Company.

W. M. Edwards of Fulton will arrive in Maryville either this afternoon or tonight to begin the digging of a deep well for the Maryville Electric Light and Power company, according to a telegram received this morning by C. C. Hellmers, manager. Mr. Edwards has shipped the well digging apparatus from near Glasgow, where it has been stalled since the bad roads. It is expected to arrive this week.

Mr. Edwards has just finished a municipal well at Monett, and comes here from that city. The well will be at the rear of the power plant. It is believed sufficient water can be reached at a depth between 600 and 800 feet.

The well is being installed more for emergency and protection, rather than for constant use by the light company, Mr. Hellmers said. The necessity of having to ship water here last summer from St. Joseph, while the municipal plant was unable to furnish it, caused the company to attempt a system of its own.

## GEORGE W. HUGHES DEAD.

Hopkins Lumber Merchant Dies Saturday—Funeral Held Today.

The funeral services of George W. Hughes, who died Saturday afternoon, were held this afternoon at the family home, conducted by the Rev. Mr. Weaver, pastor of the Presbyterian church, assisted by the Rev. D. W. Griffith, pastor of the Baptist church.

Mr. Hughes became ill about three weeks ago. His health had been failing for some time before that, but his condition was not serious. He was born at New Athens, O., March 15, 1850. When a young man Mr. Hughes came west and settled first at Lenox, Ia. In 1885 he came to Hopkins and engaged in the lumber business and made his home continuously at Hopkins since that time.

Mr. Hughes was married in 1888 to Miss Luella Johnston of Hopkins, who, with one daughter, survives. The daughter is Miss Lou Hughes, a student at the National Kindergarten school of Chicago, who came to Hopkins a week ago, called home by her father's illness. One daughter, Hazel, died in 1894.

The interment was made in the Hopkins cemetery.

## LITTLE HILDA MAKES A HIT.

Mimics "Grown-Ups" at Band Concert—Violin Duet Received Favor.

The program of the weekly band concert yesterday afternoon was above the average, while the audience was a record one, nearly every seat at the opera house being occupied. The two solos by little Miss Hilda Denny and the violin duet by Miss Edith Wilson and Oliver Bovard were particularly well received, as was also the cornet and trombone duet by T. B. Maulding and Hal Hooker.

In addition to the features, the band numbers were above the average. But the mimicking of grown-up lovers by Hilda Denny in "The High Cost of Loving" was particularly well received by the audience.

Mr. and Mrs. William Moss of near Ravenwood were transacting business in Maryville today.

## TOWNSHIP TICKETS

POLITICIANS SELECT CANDIDATES FOR RACE TOMORROW.

## IS LITTLE COMPETITION

Necessary to "Draft" Nominees in Many Instances Over County—More Announcements Made.

A number of township political caucuses were held over Nodaway county Saturday afternoon by both Republicans and Democrats. In fact all that did not select tickets previously for the township elections to be held tomorrow met yesterday to choose their candidates. In most instances there was little competition. It was necessary in nearly every instance, except possibly for collector, constable and trustee, to "draft" loyal party workers for those positions.

A list of the township tickets, both Democratic and Republican, not heretofore announced follows:

## Washington Democrats.

Washington township ticket of the Democrats:  
Collector—Clinton Wilson.  
Assessor—M. L. Griggs.  
Trustee—John A. Cook.  
Members of township board—Mildard Ellis.

## Justices of the peace—M. C. Noland.

Constable—A. B. Davis.

## Washington Republicans.

Republican ticket of Washington township:

Collector—Dave Reynolds.  
Assessor—W. S. Lemaster.  
Trustee—W. E. Brittain.

Members of township board—J. V. Pugh.

Justices of the peace—W. H. Watson.

Constable—George C. Weathermon.

## Independence Democrats.

Democratic ticket for Independence township:

Collector—M. F. Pope.  
Assessor—George Hepburn.

Trustee—L. A. Nigh.

Township board—John Campbell, north district; George D. Logan, south district.

Justices of the peace—J. L. Hepburn, north district; L. C. Gooden, south district.

Constable—Ben McClain.

No ticket was put out by the Republicans.

## Hopkins Democrats.

Democratic ticket of Hopkins township:

Collector—Al Kysar.  
Assessor—L. L. Owen.  
Trustee—J. C. Pistole.

Members of township board—J. B. Mayer and W. C. Morehouse.

Justices of the peace—Charles McIntyre and F. C. Brown.

## Hopkins Republicans.

Republican ticket of Hopkins township:

Collector—Ed Corwin.  
Assessor—Henry Wray.  
Trustee—E. C. Walker.

Members of township board—E. W. Schaffer and T. C. Ulmer.

Justices of the peace—J. B. Thompson and C. C. Curry.

## Hughes Republicans.

Republican ticket for Hughes township:

Collector—Clyde Long.  
Assessor—George Greeson.  
Trustee—J. N. Geyer.

Members of township board—Jacob Shambarger and Schuyler Shields.

Justices of the peace—Robert Noblet and J. A. Daugherty.

Constable—William Howell.

## White Cloud Democrats.

Democratic ticket of White Cloud township:

Trustee—J. Mutz.

Members of township board—Rol Evans and James Davison.

Collector—Matt Ross.

Assessor—Clyde Hoehor.

Constable—Bert Icke.

## White Cloud Republicans.

Republican ticket of White Cloud township:

Trustee—Isaac Coler.

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## TWO INJURED IN RUNAWAY

Mrs. Fred Norris and Brother Injured When Taxicab Scared Mules—Buggy Demolished.

Mrs. Fred Norris, No. 511 South Mulberry street, was bruised and lacerated about the body and one of her fingers dislocated, and her brother, Walter Combs, three miles southeast of Pickering, was also badly bruised, when a span of mules he was driving to a top buggy ran away at Buchanan and Thompson streets at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The team became frightened when a taxicab from the Knox garage was driven past the team by William Edwards, chauffeur.

Mr. Combs and his sister were driving south at the time. Immediately the mules became unmanageable, and gave a sudden turn throwing both Mr. Combs and Mrs. Norris to the ground. Mrs. Norris alighted on the lawn of the Thomas Wadley residence, thereby probably preventing worse injuries. Combs partially struck the curb.

The team ran several blocks, finally separating after badly damaging the buggy and the harness. They belonged to John Gray, liveryman, from whom Mr. Combs leases his farm near Pickering.

Mr. Combs and Mrs. Norris were taken to the Norris home for medical treatment, after which Mr. Combs returned to his home. Mrs. Norris was slightly improved today. Her injuries were not serious.

## DEMOCRATIC MEETING TONIGHT.

Polk Township Candidates Will Be Discussed at Culverson's Store.

A Democratic meeting will be held at Culverson's store, East First street, tonight, to discuss the qualifications of the seven Democratic candidates for Polk township offices, subject to the election tomorrow. The principal speaker will be Charles McCaffrey.

## TO CONDUCT ST. JOSEPH MEETING

Baptist Pastor Will Hold Three Weeks Evangelistic Service.

The Rev. Lewis M. Hale, pastor of the First Baptist church, left this afternoon for St. Joseph, where he will conduct a three weeks revival service at the Patee Park Baptist church, of which the Rev. Charles Durden is pastor.

During Rev. Hale's absence the Men's club of the church will have charge of the Sunday services at this church.

## NORMAL HAS A MUSICAL.

Students and Faculty Entertained by Orchestra and Glee Club.

An excellent musical program was given during the assembly period at the Normal school this morning.

The school orchestra, under the leadership of W. Lee Griffin, gave several selections, after which the Normal Glee club, directed by Prof. H. B. Schuler, sang three songs. Following the songs Mr. Griffin played two violin solos, accompanied by Mr. Schuler at the piano.

## WOMEN'S SOCIETIES TO MEET

Joint Missionary Convention to Be Held at Savannah April 8 and 9.

The second quarterly meeting of the Des Moines branch of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist church in which Nodaway county is included, will be held April 8 and 9 at Savannah. Jointly with this meeting will be held the annual convention of the St. Joseph district, and the convention is one of the most important missionary meetings of the year.

A number of prominent workers are on the program and the discussions will be on topics of vital interest.

Among the Nodaway county delegates who will take a part in the program are Mrs. T. A. Corden of Burlington Junction and Miss Kate Willis of Maryville. A great many from the various societies in the county expect to attend the convention.

## Purchases Bargain Property.

Rolla Alexander has purchased the M. T. Burgin property at 820 North Main street and will move there this week.

## CIRCUIT COURT BEGINS NEXT WEEK

ONLY THIRD OF 148 CASES DOCKETED ARE NEW.

## FEW CRIMINAL CASES HAVE BEEN RECORDED

With Exception of Gaming Charges, State Litigations Are Mostly "Re-hashed"—14 Seek Divorces.

There are 148 cases, forty-nine of them new ones, docketed for trial in the April term of circuit court which convenes here with Judge W. C. Ellison presiding, Monday April 5, according to the court docket issued today. While the docket is not a light one, just medium, there are few cases, either criminal or civil, of importance. Many of the cases, or two-thirds of them were continued from last court term, or are appeals from police, justice or probate courts. In the criminal docket there are eighteen charges of gambling violations, one for disturbing the peace, one for assault with intent to kill, one for grand larceny. The remainder were continued. In fact few criminal charges have been brought since the January term, excepting the gaming cases.

## Fourteen Seek Divorces.

In the equity docket most of the suits are for partition of estates, perfection of titles, appeals, or motions. There are, however, fourteen divorce suits, virtually all new.

In the trial or law docket, the majority of cases are for damages collection of taxes by the city and county, replevins, attachments and appeals.

There also are thirteen paroles to be considered on the opening day of court, next Monday. Then the equity and trial cases will be taken up for consideration. It is scheduled that all civil suits be disposed of the first week, when criminal cases shall come up for hearing Monday, April 12.

Twenty-four jurors have been summoned to appear for service in the April term.

## ITALY CENSORS WAR NEWS

Military Activities to Be Screened for 3 Months, Beginning Wednesday, Council Decides.

By American Press.

Rome, March 29.—A rigid censorship upon the publication of military news from March 31 to July 30 has been established by a royal decree issued in connection with a decision reached by the council of ministers at its session Saturday and announced today.

## RAMS A GERMAN SUBMARINE

English Railway Packet Chased by Plunger—Believed It Sunk Enemy's Vessel.

By American Press.

London, March 29.—The railway packet City of Brussels encountered a German submarine yesterday in the English channel. The captain of the steamer immediately took the aggressive and fired on the submarine, which, taken by surprise, started to submerge.

The ship captain turned quickly in an effort to ram the submarine. He expressed the belief that he succeeded in sinking it. His vessel was going six knots an hour at the time.

## Repair Ream Basement Wall.

The brick wall at the east side of the Ream hotel is being rebuilt, and the areaway leading from the street into the basement of the hotel is being generally improved this week.

## THE WEATHER

Increasing cloudiness tonight and Tuesday; probably showers.

## To-night

**The Twenty Million Dollar Mystery**  
The Robbery of the Ruby Cornet.

**Finger Prints of Fate**

A two reel dramatic treat with many pretty scenes with exceptional story quality, on the whole a very pleasing offering.

Balance of programme merits your patronage.

**Empire Theatre**

WHERE COMFORT IS COUPLED WITH PLEASURE

Your Choice Is Mine  
a Nickel or a Dime

Lower Floor 10c  
Balcony 5c

TO-NIGHT 7:30

**"The Life of Our Saviour"**

In Natural Colors. Nine Acts—9000 feet of film. After third reel M. will sing "THE HOLY CITY" after the sixth reel Miss Wright "THE PALMS". Maulding's Orchestra. Adults 25c—Children 15c.

**FERN THEATRE**

TO-NIGHT 7:30



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### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We wish to announce the candidacy of Prof. Bert Cooper for county superintendent of schools of Nodaway county, subject to the action of the voters at the annual school election on Tuesday, April 6.

We wish to announce the candidacy of Prof. John J. Davis for County Superintendent of Schools of Nodaway county, subject to the action of the voters at the annual school election, Tuesday, April 6.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for city collector, subject to the voters of Maryville, Mo., at the election to be held Tuesday, April 6.

ELMER W. (RED) BARROCK.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of city collector, subject to the decision of the voters at the city election, Tuesday, April 6, 1915.

VERNON E. DICKSON.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for City Collector, subject to the voters of Maryville, at the election to be held Tuesday, April 6.

O. P. WADE.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for City Collector, subject to the voters of Maryville, at the election, Tuesday, April 6.

W. A. TOWNSEND.

### For Alderman.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for alderman from the second ward, subject to the decision of the voters at the city election Tuesday, April 6, 1915.

J. D. FORD.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for councilman from the fourth ward, subject to the decision of the voters at the city election, Tuesday, April 6.

LOUIS GRAM.

### To the Voters of the First Ward, Maryville, Mo.

Gentlemen:—Having been solicited by many of the voters of this ward to become a candidate for Alderman of said ward, I have agreed to do so and hereby announce that I will be a candidate at the polls at the city election April 6th, 1915, for alderman of the First ward of Maryville, Mo.

ED F. HAMLIN.

### To the Voters of the Third Ward, Maryville, Mo.

Gentlemen:—Having been solicited by many of the voters of this ward to become a candidate for Alderman of said ward, I have agreed to do so and hereby announce that I will be a candidate at the polls at the city election April 6th, 1915, for Alderman of said ward, Maryville, Mo.

M. A. PEERY.

### To the Voters of the Third Ward, Maryville, Mo.

Gentlemen: Having been solicited by many of the voters of this ward to become a candidate for alderman of said ward, I have agreed to do so, and hereby announce that I will be a candidate at the polls at the city election, April 6th, 1915, for alderman of said ward, Maryville, Mo.

MARTIN H. BORRUSCH.

### To the Voters of the Fourth Ward, Maryville, Mo.

Gentlemen: Having been solicited by many of the voters of this ward to become a candidate for alderman of said ward, I have agreed to do so, and hereby announce that I will be a candidate at the polls at the city election, April 6th, 1915, for alderman of said ward, Maryville, Mo.

ROY MARTIN.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

### HOLD BUSINESS MEN'S LUNCH.

Third of Presbyterian Conference to Be Held Tomorrow.

The Presbyterian business men of the city will hold a luncheon and workers' conference tomorrow noon at the Merchants cafe.

This is the third of a series of downtown lunches and meetings which the men of the church have held recently. All who expect to attend tomorrow are requested to give their names to Jim Andy Ford or O. L. Holmes, so that reservations can be made at the cafe.

### GAIN IN WHEAT EXPORTS.

Breadstuffs Worth \$358,091.823 Shipped Abroad Last 8 Months.

American breadstuffs worth \$358,091.823 were shipped abroad during the eight months' period ending February 28, last, as compared with \$115,215.881 for the same period of the preceding year.

Figures given out by the department of commerce showed the greatest increase was in wheat exports, which rose from \$67,654,698 a year ago to \$229,205,142. For last month alone the breadstuffs totalled \$62,875,959, compared with the wheat export increased from \$3,983,895 to \$38,399,993.

The department's tables do not show the destination of these shipments, although it is known the great bulk of them went to feed the soldiers and civilian populations of the belligerent countries of Europe.

Exports of corn and oats also leaped upward by millions of dollars last month and the eight month period and in February cotton shipments showed an increase of approximately \$20,000,000 over the same month a year ago.

The total of cotton exports for the eight month period, however, fell below the 1914 figures by more than \$200,000,000, the respective amounts being for 1914, \$498,910,358, for 1915, \$243,947,192.

Some idea of the part American beef is playing in feeding the men in the trenches may be gained from the fact that exports of fresh beef increased last month to \$17,813,161 from \$13,845 in February, the preceding year, while during the eight months' period the total export was \$57,000,000 greater than in 1914. Canned beef valued at \$7,264,720 went abroad last month as against \$243,766 a year ago.

FOR RENT—10 acres 2½ miles from Maryville; 4-room house, barn, other buildings, some fruit, 4 acres hog pasture, 5 acres plowed. Rent, \$90. Yeo, 413 North Main. 29-31

WANTED—Woman to help with housework and help care for invalid. Call Farmers phone 164-15.

### To Attend Funeral.

Mrs. Eliza Rayns and her daughter, Mrs. Carr of Cleveland, O., Charles Rayns, and Mrs. Conger of Marion O., arrived at Clearmont Saturday to attend the funeral services yesterday of John W. Rayns, who was killed Thursday at Fort Worth, Texas. Mrs. Rayns is the mother of the deceased and the others were brothers and sisters. While in Clearmont, the visitors were guests of August Stelter and family.

### Here From Kansas City.

Mrs. Paul Ream of Kansas City, is visiting in Maryville at the home of her father, Joseph Jackson.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for councilman from the first ward, subject to the decision of the voters at the city election, Tuesday, April 6.

M. A. HAHN.

### SCHOOL ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of the independent school district of Maryville, Missouri, that at the regular annual election of said district, to be held at the voting places in the various wards in the city of Maryville, for the election of city officers of said city of Maryville, on

Tuesday, April 6th, 1915,

there will be submitted to the qualified voters, who are taxpayers of said school district voting at such election, a proposition to levy a tax of six mills on the dollar on the taxable property of said district in addition to the four mills authorized by law to be levied by the board of directors of said school district for the maintenance of the schools and for school purposes in said school district for the next ensuing school year.

Also the election of two directors for the term of three years each.

Done by order of the board of directors this 27th day of February, 1915.

J. R. BRINK,  
President of the Board.

GEORGE P. WRIGHT, Secretary.

## Notice

A general election will be held in the City of Maryville, County of Nodaway, State of Missouri, TUESDAY, APRIL SIX, for the election of Fifteen (15) for the purpose of electing a city collector and for school purposes from each ward and also a city collector for the second term of S. G. Sealeman deceased.

Also the election of two directors for the term of three years each.

S. WRIGHT, Mayor

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**Cash Grocery**  
Corner 4th & Main Sts.

A Little Can Be Saved on Every Thing and Considerable on Many Articles. Here is

**OUR Tuesday and Wednesday LIST**

Lenox Soap, per bar, limit of 6 bars ..... 2½c  
Fancy Minnesota Rural Potatoes, per bushel ..... 70c  
California Thin Skin Seedless Big Lemons, doz ..... 19c  
Basket Red Globe Onions ..... 15c  
Fresh California Asparagus, bunch, 10c; lb. .... 20c  
Genuine Red Alaska Salmon, fish weigh 3 to 4 lbs. lb. .... 12½c  
Instant Postum, 60c cans ..... 45c  
Old Style Postum, 25c pkgs. .... 20c  
15c Grape Nut, pkg. .... 12c  
Sweet Navel Oranges, extra large 50c kind ..... 35c  
Medium size 40c kind ..... 20c  
Small size, 2 dozen ..... 25c  
Pork and Beans, Beecham brand, Vancamp brand, Snider's—  
10c cans, doz. .... 90c  
15c cans, doz. .... \$1.40  
20c cans, doz. .... \$1.85  
No. 3 cans best Tomatoes, 3 for 25c; doz ..... 95c  
No. 3 cans Old Style Hominy, 4 for 25c; doz ..... 70c  
No. 3 cans Pumpkin, 3 for 25c; doz 85c  
No. 3 cans Early Red Beet, 3 for 25c; doz ..... 90c  
No. 3 cans Sour Kraut, 3 for 25c; doz ..... 85c  
Cudahy's Sugar Cured Picnic Hams, less than wholesale price; per lb. 10c  
They weigh 8 to 10 lbs each.  
John Morrell's Sugar Cured Lean Bacon, the 25c grade, selected pieces only ..... 19c

**The Newest and Best Brand Rolled Oats, Gold Medal White Oats—packed in round, moisture and vermin proof packages. This price to introduce the goods**

25c boxes, one to a customer 15c.  
10c boxes, one to a customer 8c.

Genuine Whitefish (not herring or suckers), large fat fish, lb. .... 15c  
Snider's Catsup, 25c bottles ..... 90c  
Finest Spinach, large cans ..... 15c  
Red Kidney Beans, 2 cans ..... 15c

**Finest Hams, lb. only 15c**  
Don't forget that Easter Breakfast without Ham is like Thanksgiving without turkey. Our 15c Hams are mild cured and fine flavored. We cut them at 16c.

Cudahy's Lean Bacon, lb. .... 17c

**For Flower and Garden Seeds, Onion Sets, pure grade Seed Potatoes—be sure to see us, you want what you want and we have it.**

Finest quantity Red River pure Ohio Seed Potatoes, per bu. \$1.00.

20 thousand packages, 5c size seeds, at 2 dozen for 25c  
Any kind Onion Sets, per gallon 25c.

**Townsend's**  
Fourth and Main Streets.

## TOWNSHIP TICKETS

(Continued from page 1.)  
Members township board—Alfred Jones and Ed Crane.  
Collector—W. H. Fannon.  
Assessor—Earl Vickery.  
Constable—A. C. Nestor.  
Justice of the peace—W. A. Shingabargar.

**Lincoln Democrats.**  
Lincoln township Democratic ticket: Trustee—Ed Graham.  
Members township board—William Walter and M. W. Bowman.  
Collector—George T. Clardy.  
Assessor—W. D. Beaver.  
Constable—James Honaker.  
Justice of the peace—C. T. Wiley.

**Lincoln Republicans.**  
Republican ticket of Lincoln township: Trustee—J. T. Vansickle.  
Members township board—T. R. L. Vengood and — Potts.  
Collector—A. M. Kirby.

**Jackson Republicans.**  
Jackson township Republican ticket: Trustee—Ira Wells.  
Members township board—Charles Henson and C. T. Wareline.  
Collector—W. Leslie Rhoades.  
Assessor—W. F. Sawyers.  
Constable—William Bogue.  
Justices of the peace—C. C. Tebow and W. Oglesbey.

**Atchison Republicans.**  
Republican ticket of Atchison township: Trustee—Bert Morrell.

Member township board—Albert Miller and William Davis.  
Collector—C. A. Skeed.  
Assessor—William Wolf.  
Constable—Joe Rogers.  
Justices of the peace—T. J. Rogers and Ephraim Johnson.

**Jefferson Democrats.**  
Jefferson township Democratic ticket: Collector—D. J. Mossey.

Assessor—John Martindale.  
Trustee—Joseph Voelker.  
Members of township board—Ersel Durbin and Henry Bird.  
Constable—Gabe Purcell.  
Republican ticket for Jefferson township: Collector—Peter Peterson.

Assessor—Alfonso Auer.  
Trustee—Julius Klaas.  
Members of township board—Ed Allen and Joseph Wohlford.

No candidates could be found to take the nomination for justice of the peace.

**Union Republicans.**  
Republican ticket for Union township: Collector—James L. Clayton.

Assessor—John B. Loch, Jr.  
Trustees—T. N. Kelley.  
Members of township board—Grant C. Dowling and George D. Hackett.  
Justice of the peace—Walter E. Johnson.

**Atchison Democrats.**  
Democratic ticket for Atchison township: Collector—George McDermott.

Assessor—George Benthien.  
Trustee—B. C. Souers.  
Constable—R. D. Blaine.  
Members of township board—Mike McGottigan and Jake Cox.  
Justice of the peace—L. C. Curren.  
**Greene Democrats.**  
Collector—Fred Wright.

## For Your Own Good

Don't let your money get away from you unless it is actually doing you some good. If you will stop a minute to think it over you'll find much of the money you spend is really wasted.

Cultivate the habit of saving and you will soon have enough to make an investment in a business or a home.

Try it.

**Farmers Trust Company**  
"HOME OF SAVINGS"  
Maryville, Missouri



## EASTER



Assessor—Henry O'Riley.  
Trustee—H. D. McDonald.  
Constable—J. E. Jones.  
Members of township board—Samuel Rodman, west side of river; W. H. Davenport, east side.

Justices of the peace—S. S. Wolcott and H. A. Money.

**Green Republicans.**  
Collector—C. A. Johnston.  
Assessor—George Williams.  
Trustee—A. S. Cordell.

Constable—R. L. Ellsworth.  
Members township board—William Berry and L. O. Staples.

No candidates for justices of the peace.

**Monroe Democrats.**  
Collector—Charles H. Geyer.

Assessor—Jesse Patton.  
Trustee—Reuben Barrett.  
Constable—Ledford J. Goatcher.

Members township board—Frank Goslee, east of river, and Jonas F. Brown, west of river.

Justices of the peace—Henry Miller and M. P. Horn.

**Monroe Republicans.**  
Collector—Charles H. Geyer.

Assessor—E. D. French.  
Constable—Arch Hitchcock.  
Trustee—Reuben Barrett.

Members township board—Frank Goslee and William Sanders.

Justices of the peace—Stratford Sanders and Mark Loucks.

**Says Lady Paget Lives.**  
Washington, March 29.—The British embassy here received a message from the foreign office in London denying the report that Lady Ralph Paget had died at Ukab, where she was serving with a Red Cross hospital unit. "No truth whatever in the report," the message said. "Latest news from her was good."

**2,000 Butchers Put Out of Business.**  
London, March 29.—Two thousand butcher shops have been closed in England since the beginning of the war. The increased prices of meat and the effort in most households to economize closely has been the cause for the decreased consumption, which has hit the retail butcher very hard.

**Villa Occupies the Outer Works.**  
El Paso, Tex., March 29.—The Villa forces, commanded by General José Rodríguez, attacking Matamoros, occupied the outer positions and began the assault for the control of the city proper, according to dispatches received here.

**The funeral services for the 3-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keller of this city, who died Saturday afternoon, were held this afternoon at the family home, conducted by the Rev. Gilbert A. Cox, pastor of the First Methodist church.**

**FOR RENT—A new, modern home, corner of Market and Ninth streets, the Ted Castello property. Also an office room for rent. Holmes & Wolfert.**

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## Personal Pride

All people pride themselves on having a new suit for Easter—that's only natural.

But--isn't it just a mite better to pride yourself on having purchased a suit that's "all the go--and on your excellent judgment, evidenced by the fact that the suit you chose outwore even your own expectations?

We take a similar pride in our merchandise, because it has proven satisfactory to the greatest extent--let us serve you to the best--Clothcraft, \$10, \$12.50, \$15, \$16.50 and \$18.50.

Hart, Schaffner and Marx--  
\$18.00 to \$27.50.

**Montgomery--Lyle Clothing Company**

YOURS TO PLEASE

### FARM HOUSE BURNED.

Home of Harvey Cline, East of Pickering, Destroyed.

The house on the farm of Harvey Cline, three miles east of Pickering, was burned, together with most of its contents, about 6 o'clock this morning. The fire originated from a defective flue. The house was a six-room frame dwelling and was insured.

### To Hold Choir Rehearsal.

The regular rehearsal of the First Christian church choir will be held at the church Thursday night. All members are expected to prepare for the Easter musicale.

### MOZINGO VALLEY.

Robert Mazingo has gone to Bedford, Ia., where he will visit Mr. and Mrs. McConnell.

Drexel Morgan is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Moore.

Miss Mabel Null, teacher of the Mazingo Valley school, went to her home in Pickering Wednesday to attend the marriage of her brother, Howard Null, and Miss Irene Burks.

Jean Florea is spending a few days the guest of Charles Florea.

The H. K. G. club was entertained Friday afternoon by Mrs. C. J. Kilham.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

## Useful Current

Electric lighting is really but one of the minor advantages of electricity. If you will let our representative call he will show you many uses which will lighten and facilitate your labors with but little additional expense to you and can in many instances prove an actual monetary saving over your present methods. Just call Hanamo 21. Such information is part of our service and costs you nothing.

**MARYVILLE ELECTRIC LIGHT and POWER CO.**  
Empire Theatre Building  
Hanamo 21



The busy store

Haines

with little prices

## Easter Hosiery

Every one wants new Hose on Easter.

Phoenix Silk Hose for Ladies  
per pair 75c and \$1.00"Radimoor" Honest Dollar  
Silk Hose for Ladies, in 42  
colors. Pair \$1.00Our No. 2040 Ladies Black  
Cotton Hose are the best ever  
sold by any firm at 25cBuy Children's hose of us and  
get the best values ever offered  
at 10c, 15c and 25c

## GAYNOR ITEMS.

Sherman Munn sawed wood for Delmar New Thursday.

The N. N. club met with Mrs. Austin Sharr Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Koger became a member.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Lawler announce the arrival of a little son in their home. Tony Stoner's have a girl.

Mrs. Groves is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Austin Sharr.

Mrs. E. M. Thomas called on Mrs. George Negus Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Edward West is visiting relatives in Hopkins.

Lila, the little daughter of Theo.

Jackson, has been ill for several days. Mr. and Mrs. George Hepburn were shopping in Hopkins Wednesday.

## Has Closing Out Sale.

Having rented his farm, George W. DeWitt, two miles southwest of Maryville, is holding a public auction of live stock, farm implements and feed and household furnishings. One of the offerings is sixty head of Duroc Jersey hogs.

The Rev. C. R. Green of Harmony church was shopping in Maryville today.

ITALY CALLS UPON  
ITS ALPINE TROOPSArtillery and Engineer Reserve  
Officers Ordered to Report.

Rome, March 29.—All the Alpine troops of the first category, born in 1883, have been called to the colors by the Italian war department for forty-five days.

The official military journal also calls to the colors all artillery and engineer reserve officers for sixty days from April 16.

The Alpine troops are frontier forces, organized especially to defend the mountain passes leading into Italy. This force consists of eight regiments (twenty-eight battalions) of Alpine infantry and two regiments of thirty-six mountain artillery batteries. In addition to these there are two regiments of heavy artillery, of ten batteries each, one regiment of horse artillery of eight batteries and ten regiments of fortress artillery.

## KILLED IN A DOUGH MIXER

Machinist Crushed to Death in Bakery  
Machine He Is Testing.

Chicago, March 29.—Crushed to death in an electric dough mixer was the fate of Frank Lagat, a young machinist. The accident happened in the basement of Renold's bakery. The mixer revolves like a big rimless wheel, steel bars protruding from the hub-like center. Lagat was testing the machine and his clothing is supposed to have caught on the revolving bars.

## Costs 13,000 Men to Gain One Mile.

London, March 29.—The British public is not deceived by the lack of definite reports as to the British losses in the Nueve Chapelle fight in France. The official announcement that the British had taken 18,000 prisoners and the official estimate that the Germans must have lost 18,000 men in the terrific bombardment, prepared the public for heavy losses on the British side. Rumors ran that the total loss to gain about a mile of territory was in the neighborhood of 13,000 men.

## Germans to Give Bulgars Turk Land.

London, March 29.—A Sofia dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company says that the mission of German Field Marshal von der Goltz is to offer Bulgaria on behalf of Turkey the Enos-Midia line in return for Bulgaria's neutrality. It includes the stronghold of Adrianople, Kirk-Kilis and other important towns.

## Fire Sweeps Carriage Plant.

Camden, N. J., March 29.—Fire swept through a part of the plant of the Collins Carriage company here, causing a loss estimated at \$100,000. A large number of automobiles, which were being repaired, were destroyed.

GREEKS DENY THAT  
THEY MUST FIGHT

Athens, March 29.—An official communication on the foreign policy of Greece was issued. It says:

"The government attributing great importance to the calm and tranquillity of public opinion regarding the proper treatment of foreign affairs, considers it an absolute necessity to deny statements to the effect that if Greece does not abandon its attitude of neutrality it will lose the opportunity of realizing its national aspirations."

The divergence of views between the government and its predecessor arose from opinion regarding the gravity of the dangers threatening the integrity of the country. The government is doing everything in its power to avoid possible dangers."

## Hour of Service Closed.

The regular Sunday evening church services in the First Methodist, First Baptist, Buchanan Street Methodist, First Presbyterian and First Christian churches will begin at 8 o'clock instead of 7:30 o'clock, beginning Sunday night, April 4.

SAMUEL D. HARKNESS,  
Chairman Ministerial Alliance.SOCIETY  
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## Calendar.

Mrs. J. E. Melvin will be hostess to the meeting of the Mutual Improvement Circle Tuesday afternoon.

The Modern Drama department of the Twentieth Century club will meet at the Elks club Thursday night.

The Women's Foreign Missionary society of the First Methodist church will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. O. C. Hanna, 1209 North Main street.

The Women's Missionary society of the First Baptist church will give a tea Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. James Cook.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Buchanan Street Methodist church will hold a business meeting at the church at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon.

The C. W. B. M. and the Mission Circle will hold a joint session at the church Friday.

The Daughters of the American Revolution will be entertained Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Thomas Bell, with Mrs. T. L. Robinson, Mrs. Susan Helwig, Misses Orrill and Katherine Helwig and Mrs. Bell, hostesses.

## Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Wright gave a dinner party yesterday noon, entertaining the Rev. and Mrs. Robert Lyle Finch and son, Robert, Jr.

## Mrs. Bailey Hostess.

Mrs. J. W. Bailey was the hostess of a dinner party given at noon Sunday at her home on North Lawn avenue. Plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Gann, Mr. and Mrs. John Alry, Mr. and Mrs. Emery Alry and Miss Lucile Alry.

## Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Young and daughters gave a dinner party Saturday at their home on East Third street entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mercer, Mrs. Frank Young, Miss Mary Coulter and Kenneth Leech.

## Celebrates Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Moore celebrated the fourth anniversary of their wedding day yesterday by entertaining a party of friends at a dinner served at 1 o'clock. Plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Rolla Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Scott and daughter, Virginia, and the hosts.

## Recital Program.

The usual fortnightly recital will be given tonight at 7:30 o'clock at the Conservatory of Music. The pupils taking part are Miss Inez Hall, Miss Geneva Wilfley, Miss Dorothy McDonald, Miss Laura Curfman, Helen Curfman, Eva Beaman, Esther Sutterlin and Ned Colbert.

## Mrs. Bailey Hostess.

The usual fortnightly meeting of the P. E. O. chapter was held Saturday afternoon with Mrs. John Eldon Bailey. During the business session committees were appointed to prepare the course of study for the coming year. Games and luncheon concluded the afternoon. The game favor was awarded to Mrs. Charles Wadley.

## Farewell Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Goforth entertained with a dinner party Sunday at their home on West Fourth street at which plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Ova Hazelwood and daughter of Barnard, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Stoner, and son of Whitesville; Miss Mary Goforth of Burlington Junction and the hosts and family. The dinner was a farewell gathering for Mr. Goforth, who will leave soon for Montana to spend the summer on his ranch.

## Enjoying New York.

Prof. and Mrs. John A. Lesh, who are in New York City, taking a special course of lectures at Columbia university, are at home at "The Bryant" 42 Bank street, and write to their friends in this city of the splendid work accomplished during the year. Mr. Lesh obtains his Ph. D. degree in June. Mrs. Lesh has been devoting her time to study while there. Their plans for work for the remainder of the year are not yet decided upon.

## Society Holds an Interesting Session.

"The Red Man and His White Neighbor" formed topic of an interesting afternoon's study Friday for the Women's Home Missionary society of the First Methodist church at a meeting held at the home of Mrs. S. H. Kemp. The program numbers were given by Mrs. L. E. Dean, Mrs. L. L. Miller, Mrs. C. F. Remus and Mrs. A. Kern. During the social hour, Mrs. Kemp was assisted by Mrs. W. O. Garrett, Mrs. W. L. Ruddell, Mrs. M. O. Kemp, and Mrs. Henry Wright. Among the visitors present were Mrs. F. M. Compton, Mrs. John Lorraine, Mrs. O. C. Hanna, Mrs. Milton Rittenour, and Mrs. George Kemp.

## Dinner Party.

Prof. and Mrs. W. M. Westbrook were the complimentary guests of a dinner given yesterday noon by Mr. and Mrs. William Everhart of South Main street.

## Mr. and Mrs. Eckles Hosts.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Eckles were the hosts of a dinner party given at noon yesterday at which they entertained Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Lippman and daughter, Louise; Mr. and Mrs. Fred French and son, Fred, Jr., and Mrs. Lizette Lippman.

## OBSERVE PALM SUNDAY

First Methodists to Hold Services  
Each Night This Week.

The second of a special series of sermons for Passion week will be given tonight at the First Methodist church by the pastor, the Rev. Gilbert S. Cox. The sermon subject will be "I Find no Fault in Him." The choir will present a special musical program.

Yesterday a special observance was made for Palm Sunday. A baptismal service for new members was held and the musical program, taken from "The Crucifixion," by Stainer, included three numbers that were well presented. The Rev. Mr. Cox spoke from the Death and Burial of Christ, and the Death and Burial of Christ, and the worship concluded with the communion service.

Services will be held during the week and the sermons will be from the general topic, "The Testimony of His Enemies."

## ALANTHUS RESIDENT DIES.

Funeral of Thomas Jennings, 44, to Be  
Held Wednesday.

Thomas Jennings, living east of Alantus, died at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, his death following a short illness with appendicitis. The funeral services will be held at the home Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Jennings was 44 years old and is survived by one daughter. His wife died eight years ago.

## To Visit in Kansas City.

Miss Mildred Robinson left this morning for Kansas City to spend a few days visiting at the home of her uncle and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Miller.

## Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

OLDER OFFICERS  
ARE CROWDED OUTRanks of Privates Drawn Upon  
For French Commanders.

London, March 29.—Under the caption, "The French Army as It Is," the French review of the war deals exhaustively with the condition of the army after six months of war, the higher command, the supply of officers and noncommissioned officers and of munitions of war of all kinds, and transport and auxiliary services. The compiler of the report states that the condition of the French army is excellent and appreciably superior to what it was at the beginning of the war from the three points of view of numbers, quality and equipment.

In the higher command the important changes have been made. It has, in fact, been rejuvenated by the promotion of young commanders of superior quality to high rank. All the old generals, who at the beginning of August were at the head of the large commands, have been gradually eliminated, some as the result of the physical strain of the war and others by appointment to other commands.

Many men who began the war on Aug. 21 as privates now wear the officers' epaulettes.

Located.  
"What's become of the solitary horseman who used to appear in the first chapter of the novel, outlined against the horizon on the top of the hill?"

"He is probably at the bottom of the same hill in an automobile with his engine stalled."—Fack.

Seven by the Average.  
Knicker—How big is your boy?  
Bocker—He takes a ten-year-old suit and a four-year-old car seat. He averages seven.—New York Sun.

The sandal tree imparts its fragrance even to the ax that hews it.—Hindu Proverb.

## Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Carefully Treat  
Children's Colds

Neglect of children's colds often leads to the foundation of serious lung trouble. On the other hand, it is essential to continually use Vicks' Little Remedies with frequent application or to keep the children from colds without injuring their digestion. Vicks' Little Remedies, 50c, or \$1.00.

VICKS' LITTLE REMEDIES

Alderman Yehle Dry Goods Co.  
WEST THIRD STREET, MARYVILLE, MO.

New

We were fortunate this morning in receiving by express some smart New Easter Apparel. You have only five days left in which to do your Easter shopping, and we have arranged to have crisp NEW merchandise in every department for this week.

## Easter Apparel

In the assortment this morning are smart Top Coats, Stylish Suits, and separate skirts with the very latest fashion touches. This, in addition to the new Spring apparel previously assembled, affords you a wide variety to select from, and assures you the styles are correct.

These are of the very best quality of material and workmanship, and they are moderately priced.

## EASTER FOOTWEAR



We have received a shipment of the 'new styles' in footwear, which will beautify the feet and distinguish the wearer as a woman of good taste in dress. This shipment comprises both low and high shoes, included are the "Aristo," "Argentine," "Meadow Brook," "Hesitation," "Bronx Colonial," and other new colonial and strap effects.

Come in and try on a pair of the 1915 models, and receive a pleasant surprise.

## LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

## CHICAGO.

Cattle—18,000. Market 10c lower.  
Estimate tomorrow, 3,000.  
Hogs—28,000. Market 5c higher;  
top, \$6.90. Estimate tomorrow, 20,000.  
Sheep—12,000.

## KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—11,000. Market 10c lower.  
Hogs—1,000. Market weak to 5c lower; top, \$6.92.  
Sheep—8,000. Market weak.

## ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—1,300. Market 10c lower.  
Hogs—4,000. Market weak to 5c lower; top, \$6.70.  
Sheep—11,000. Market weak.

## Shenandoah Has 4,500.

The 1915 census of Shenandoah, Ia., which was taken recently, shows about 5,500 population. In 1910, the government census gave Shenandoah 4,976. Clarinda, according to the 1910 census, had a population of 4,000, and now has about 4,500.

The Christian Endeavor society of the First Christian church will hold a business meeting in the Endeavor rooms at 7 o'clock tomorrow night, preparatory to the pantomime to be given at 8 o'clock that night by Mrs. R. L. Finch's Sunday school class.

## Easter Flowers

and Plants. Come and bring your friends to see our display of Lilies, Roses, Daffodils, Hyacinths, Tulips, Cyclamen, Spirea, Etc., which we have potted or for cut. We also have plenty of fresh cut roses, Carnations, Sweet Peas, Violets, Lily of the Valley, Etc. We deliver all orders promptly and safely.

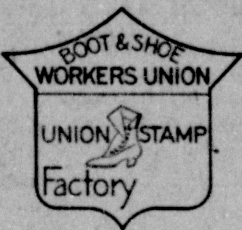
The Engelmann  
Greenhouses

1001 S. MAIN ST. PHONE 17

## Spent Sunday Here.

Clarence Cook, who is looking after the Cook farm, near Skidmore, spent Sunday in the city, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Cook.

## Loyal Daughters Sunday School Class

An Evening of Entertainment  
Silver Offering. A FarceThe Bachelor's Dream  
MARCH THIRTIETHThe Union Stamp is  
The Peaceful Uplifting,  
Educational, Econom-  
ic Emblem of the Or-  
ganized Shoe Workers.It aims to secure bigger, better and  
happier working and living conditions  
for Union Shoe Workers by Progres-  
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measures.

## BUY UNION STAMP SHOES

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246 Summer Street, Boston, Mass.

Write for list of Union Shoe Factories

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## The "Clean Up and Paint Up" Army

Yes M'am, We are here to fix  
your house for Clean Up day.  
You will need a little lumber  
and plaster. But to finish these  
walls properly you should use  
Muth & Mangan's Flat  
Wall Finish. Yes you get these  
from

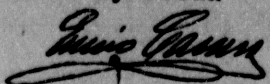
Curfman Lumber Co.



## CARUSO

World-famous Tenor, says:

"Tuxedo completely satisfies my tobacco taste. It is mild and has a delicious flavor. Most important of all, from a singer's standpoint, Tuxedo does not irritate my throat."



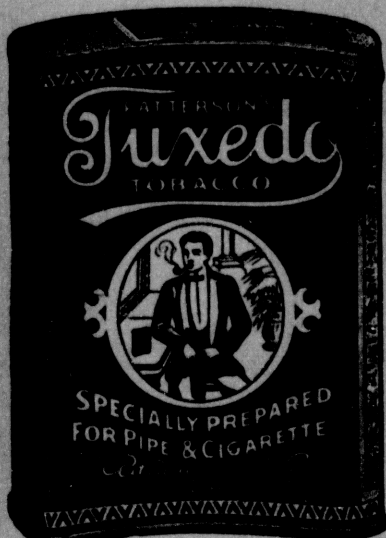
## "Tuxedo Does Not Irritate My Throat"

The non-irritating quality of Tuxedo which Caruso praises is due to the original "Tuxedo Process" by which the tobacco is treated. This process refines the tobacco and absolutely removes all bite and sting.

Many thousands of men think they cannot smoke a pipe, for fear the tobacco might burn or parch their mouths. Tuxedo has done away with any such possibility. You can smoke Tuxedo all day long, without any irritation whatsoever—indeed, with increasing pleasure.

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The Perfect Tobacco for Pipe and Cigarette



is made from rich, mild, fragrant Kentucky Burley—acknowledged to be the finest pipe-tobacco in the world—aged until it is pipe-perfect and smokes coolly and slowly.

You cut off an inch of inspiration and real joy every hour you stay away from Tuxedo. Because it's so good, so true, so delicious, so fragrant, its memory lingers every time your smoke-appetite gets tuned up.

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## BATTLES IN BOTH EAST AND WEST

CARPATHIANS AND MEUSE ARE SCENES OF FIERCE FIGHTING.

## BOTH SIDES CLAIM GAINS

Allied Fleet Awaits Reinforcements Before Renewing Attacks on Dardanelles Ports—German Submarine Vessels Again Are Showing Activity.

### WAR SUMMARY

On the heights of the Meuse in France the French war office declares about 300 yards of trenches were taken from the Germans. Berlin denies this.

Petrograd and Vienna are at variance with regard to who has had the upper hand in the Carpathians. In north and central Poland the fighting is stubborn west of the Niemen and in the vicinity of the rivers Skwa and Amulew.

Defeat of the Turks in the Black sea region is chronicled by Petrograd. Allied aviators have attacked the German aviation camp at Chistelles, Belgium.

A heavy bombardment has been heard coming from the Gulf of Saros, probably directed against the Turkish forts on the Gallipoli peninsula. In the Dardanelles a battleship has been throwing shells into batteries at Killid Bahr. German submarines again are operating in the Irish sea and it is believed that at least one more steamer has been sunk by them.

London, March 29.—The battles for the Carpathian passes continue with extreme violence, this being the only region where, for the moment, fighting on a large scale is taking place.

In the west the commanders are waiting for better conditions before making any effort on a large scale, although the French here and there are attempting to capture positions which would give them an advantage when the general offensive is decided upon.

Their more recent efforts have been directed against the heights of the Meuse, to the east and south of Verdun, in which both they and the Germans claim to have made gains. The object of these operations is to compel the Germans to evacuate St. Mihiel, where their line reaches the river Meuse, causing a considerable bending of the French front.

Awaits Reinforcements. Of the operations in the Dardanelles nothing has been officially published for some days.

It is supposed that the allied fleet is waiting for the mine sweepers to complete their work before the attacks on the forts are renewed, and perhaps also for the arrival of reinforcements of ships, men and ammunition.

Upon the success of these operations depends not only the fate of Turkey, but probably the future policy of the Balkan states and Italy.

In Italy big demonstrations were held, calling upon the government to take action to realize the ambitions of the country; while in the Balkan capitals the diplomats of the allied nations are busily engaged in an endeavor to reorganize the Balkan league and insure the simultaneous intervention of all the Balkan powers on the side of the allies.

Card of Thanks. I wish to thank my many friends who so willingly helped me win the piano in the Remus contest.

MRS. J. C. JOHNSON.

Plans to Raise \$1,000,000 For Vassar. Philadelphia, March 29.—A campaign for a \$1,000,000 endowment fund, to be completed by October, 1916, as a birthday present to Vassar college on its fiftieth anniversary, was announced by Henry Noble MacCracken, president of the college.

Buying Horses For Italy. Chicago, March 29.—Two Italians, said to represent the Italian government, have been steadily buying horses at the stock yards here for the last three months. Heavy purchases have been made also at East St. Louis, Ill., it was learned.

## EITEL MAY BE TOWED TO NEW YORK BERTH

Newport News, Va., March 29.—Reports that the Prinz Eitel Friedrich would be towed to New York within the three-mile limit were current here, following the arrival of a big seagoing tug equipped with wireless, which tied up to a ship yard pier close to the German cruiser.

The battleship Alabama, carrying the flag of Rear Admiral J. L. Helm of the Atlantic reserve fleet, sailed from the Philadelphia navy yard for neutrality duty in Hampton Roads.

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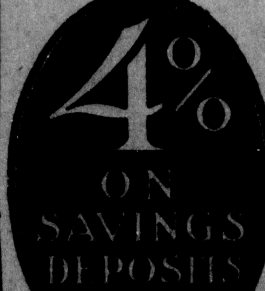
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## F-4 IS LOCATED AFTER HOPE LOST

PORTIONS OF ITS SUPERSTRUCTURE BROUGHT TO SURFACE.

## DREDGE TO SHIFT ITS MOORINGS

Immense Diving Bell Constructed to Enable Work of Lifting Submarine From Bottom of Sea to Be Carried on More Swiftly.

Honolulu, March 29.—The submerged submarine F-4 has been located outside the harbor, it was announced. Portions of the superstructure have been brought to the surface. The dredge California will shift moorings, tugs will criss-cross in all directions and an attempt will be made to lift the submarine.

W. C. Parks, a civil engineer, has started the construction of an immense diving bell, a fifty-four-inch cast iron pipe seven feet in height, fitted with plate glass port. The diving bell is expected to be ready for use today. A hydroplane has been prepared for instant flight if required. Heroic attempts previously to bring to the surface from a great depth an object that appeared to be the submarine resulted in the discovery by two divers that it was only an old anchor, probably lost by the battleship Oregon. The divers went to a depth of 215 feet.

Refusing to be disheartened by this discovery, hundreds of rescue workers, although tired by their long work and without sleep for many hours, redoubled their efforts and another body believed to be the F-4 was located.

## BROWN VILLE ALARMED

Prospects of Artillery Fight Across the Rio Grande.

Brownsville, Tex., March 29.—Grave apprehensions were aroused among officials here by the report that Villa officers have decided the defenses of Matamoros, opposite here must be reduced, presumably by artillery. The probability of artillery shells falling in Brownsville was indicated by the wounding of two persons in the residence section here by stray rifle bullets, during the first assault on Matamoros trenches. This assault was a costly failure for the Villa forces, in which their losses were officially given as 100 killed and 400 wounded.

Upon orders from Washington, Colonel Blockson, commanding the border patrol here, stopped the bringing of Mexican wounded to this side and placed a guard over those already here. Thus far only two deaths have occurred among the 200 Villa wounded here.

### Here from Tarkio.

Mrs. E. C. Henson of Tarkio arrived in the city yesterday to visit her son, E. E. Brewer, and family.

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WANTED—Good clean rags. Positively must be free from lint and buttons. Bring to this office.

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FOR SALE OR RENT—6-room house, garden spot and fruit, after April 1. Also 2,260 acres in Hooker county, Nebraska, for sale or lease. J. T. Hays, 405 West Twelfth. 29

SALESMAN to sell high grade specialty direct to dealers and large consumers in this territory. Big profits. Republic Paint and Lead Works, Cleveland, Ohio. 27-30

### For Sale.

FOR SALE—A stack wild hay. J. W. Knepper, Farmers phone 4-11. 29-31

FOR SALE—About 1,000 bushels good seed oats, best in the country; also some work stuff, horses and mules. C. H. Wilson, route 3, Maryville. 29-31

FOR SALE—6-room house, 14 lots, joining normal ground. Will sell all or single lots. Closest possible to normal; suitable for student boarding. Also 1 acre east of railroad on Seventh. J. T. Hays, 405 West Twelfth. 29-23

FOR SALE—250 bushels Red Texas seed oats. P. F. Roney. 27-30

FOR SALE OR RENT—6-room house, modern except water, good well, two lots. Possession April 1. See Charles McNeal. 28-29

FOR SALE—40 tons barn hay, \$15 per ton; 500 bushels seed oats, 65¢ per bushel. Verne Fakes, Pickering. 26-1

FOR SALE—S. C. Rhode Island Red eggs, 15, 50¢; 100, \$3.00. Mrs. Will R. Wells, Farmers phone 35-12.

FOR SALE OR LEASE—2,260-acre ranch in Hawkes county, Neb., 1,620 deed at \$12.50 an acre; 640 acres leased nine years at \$2 an acre. All fenced, 90 acres hog tight, 3-room house, 2 wells and windmills, 3 tanks, 2 barns, long shed. 800 acres valley land. J. T. Hays, 405 West Twelfth street, Maryville. 20-23

The Woodmen Circle will hold a market Saturday afternoon at Price & McNeal's furniture store. All kinds of home baking for sale. 29-1-3

Notice. Those knowing themselves indebted to the undersigned will please call and settle their accounts at once, as I have some obligations to meet and need the money. 27-29 DR. J. R. HERYFORD.

CHARLES E. STILWELL, ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW. Office over Farmers Trust Company, Maryville, Mo.

THIS R. C. R. RED ROOSTER costs \$35.00. He is at the head of my flock. Eggs, \$1.50 for 15. J. H. Aley, Maryville. Hanamo phone 4614.

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W. G. GROSS & SON, PAINTERS AND DECORATORS. Hanamo 4004. 204 North Fifth.

## Closing Out Sale

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction, at the farm, 4 miles west and 4½ miles south of Maryville and ½ mile south of Rockford church, on

Thursday, April 1

Beginning at 10 o'clock, the following property, to-wit:

6 HEAD OF HORSES—Consisting of 1 bay mare 8 years old, weighing about 1,300 pounds; 1 bay mare 6 years old, weighing 1,200 pounds; 1 bay mare coming 4 years old, weighing about 1,150 pounds; 1 iron gray gelding coming 3 years old, weighing 1,100; 1 coming 3-year-old filly weighing 1,050 pounds; 1 Shetland pony coming 3 years old, well broke and gentle.

11 HEAD OF CATTLE—Consisting of 8 milch cows with calves at side, 3 coming yearling calves.

43 HEAD OF HOGS—Consisting of 20 brood sows, most of them with litters and others to farrow soon; 23 fall shoats weighing about 50 pounds each. Four dozen pure bred Rhode Island Red chickens.

GRAIN AND HAY—500 bushels corn in crib and small quantity of hay and kaffir corn.

FARM IMPLEMENTS—2 wagons, 2 sets work harness, 2 walking cultivators, 1 sulky plow, 1 walking plow, 1 3-section steel harrow, 1 John Deere corn planter complete, almost new, 1 disc cultivator, almost new, 1 disc harrow, 1 hay frame. McCormick mower and rake, 1 2-seated carriage, almost new, 1 set carriage harness.

Some household goods, about 20 bushels Early Ohio potatoes. Other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS—Sums under \$10 cash. On sums of \$10 and over a credit of 6, 3 or 12 months will be given, purchasers giving bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. Lunch by-ladies of Rockford church.

R. P. Hoemer, Auct.

Joe, Jackson, Jr., Clerk.

O. D. Walker

## Administrator's Public Sale

I will sell the following personal property at public auction at the late residence of Alexander Bailey, ten miles southwest of Maryville and five miles straight east of Skidmore, on

Wednesday, March 31

Beginning promptly at 11 o'clock

49 HEAD OF COWS—25 cows, 5 of which have young calves and the balance are springers; 24 good yearlings, part heifers.

6 HEAD OF HORSES—One good 4-year-old work horse weighing about 1,200 lbs. and the balance are common kind.

25 HEAD OF HOGS—9 big Poland-China brood sows; 1 Thoroughbred Poland-China 2-year-old boar and the balance fall shoats.

GRAIN AND HAY—About 1,200 bushels of good ear corn; 100 bushels of oats and 30 tons of good hay.

IMPLEMENTS—2 old wagons, good spring wagon, 2 sets of heavy harness, corn binder, mower, hay loader, hay rake, 2 double-row go-devils, 14-horse disc, 3 mowers, one riding with drill attachment, 2 steel harrows, 2 cultivators (one 2-row riding), single shovel marker, bob sled, 100-gal. cast iron boiler, 2 fence machines, old horse power, two-horse power corn sheller, 50 gallon steel coal oil tank, almost full; goodcook stove, Round Oak heater, almost new; big oak refrigerator, bedstead and springs, table, couch and other household articles. Scoops, forkspades, saws, log chains, and other articles.

TERMS—Under \$10 cash, over that amount from 3 to 12 months time will be given on bankable notes drawing 8 per cent from date. Lunch by Ladies of Rockford Church

R. P. HOEMER, Auctioneer.  
S. H. KEMP, Clerk.

Clarence D. Bailey, Adm.

## LINER BEATS OUT SUBMARINE

Arabic by Speed Avoids Being Torpedoed in Irish Sea.

Liverpool, March 29.—The White Star liner Arabic, New York to Liverpool, was chased by a German submarine in the Irish sea, its passengers reported upon their arrival here. For thirty miles the Germans vainly endeavored to get close enough to shoot a torpedo. The Arabic shot away from the German with a burst of speed that left the submarine far behind.

American passenger laughed at the thrilling chase. They crowded the rails, they said, and watched the German shoot over the surface of the water, sending showers of spray.

Once the Arabic put on full speed it was never in danger, they said, drawing away from the submarine with comparative ease. The submarine abandoned the chase several miles off the mouth of the Mersey.

### Bulgaria Prepared For War.

London, March 29.—A Reuter dispatch from Sofia says that a parliamentary commission, charged with the task of ascertaining the country's reserve resources, has reported to a secret session of parliament that Bulgaria now is better prepared for war than before the war with Turkey.

### Liverpool Dockers Back at Work.

London, March 29.—Responding to appeals made by War Secretary Kitchener, the Earl of Derby and the leaders of their unions, the Liverpool dockers unanimously resumed work. The men at Birkenhead, however, still remain out and are trying up work on several big ships.

### President Takes Few Days' Vacation.

Washington, March 29.—President Wilson will take a short vacation, lasting until Thursday morning, going to Annapolis to attend a luncheon in his honor on board the Argentine battleship Moreno this afternoon, as the guest of Dr. Romulo S. Naon, the Argentine ambassador.

### France Has 2,500,000 in Field.

Paris, March 29.—According to a statement of the war office, including all ranks, France now has more than 2,500,000 men at the front. The infantry companies are at least 200 strong. In many regiments the companies have a strength of 250 or more.

### No Change For Henderson.

Charleston, S. C., March 29.—Physician in attendance on Professor Charles R. Henderson of the University of Chicago, who is critically ill here, reported his condition unchanged.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.



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## ELECT TOWNSHIP OFFICERS TUESDAY

POSITIONS TO BE FILLED IN EACH COUNTY DISTRICT.

## VOTING BOOTHS WILL BE AT USUAL PLACES

Hughes Will Vote on \$30,000 Road Bonds Issue—Democratic Candidates for Polk Are Capable Men.

Polk Township Democratic Ticket. Trustee—W. F. Bolin. Collector—E. L. Robey. Assessor—E. E. Tilton. Members of township board—B. F. Douglass and A. A. Wiley. Justice of the peace—W. L. Johnson. Constable—Robert Jones.

Township Polling Places. First ward—J. L. Tilton's barn, 209 East Fourth. Second ward—Robey's garage, 114 West Fourth. Third ward—John Gray's livery barn, 114 West Second. Fourth ward—Rear Empire theater, East Second street.

Polling places open from 7 o'clock tomorrow morning until sundown, or about 6:30 o'clock tomorrow night.

The regular biennial township elections will be held in each of the fifteen townships of Nodaway county tomorrow to choose a collector, trustee, assessor, constable, two members of a township board, and between one and five justices of the peace. Most of the polling places will be at the usual places, and the polls will be open from 7 o'clock in the morning until 6 o'clock at night, or sundown.

While the competition has not been strong for the various offices, the Democrats and Republicans each have their men picked for the positions in the different townships. The balloting is not expected to be heavy tomorrow, largely because of the extremely bad roads, which will make it difficult for many rural folk to go to the polls.

Hughes May Improve Bridges. The voters of Hughes township also will vote on a proposition for the issuance of \$30,000 in bonds for permanent bridge and culvert improvements in that township. It is reported that much favor of the bond issue is being expressed by the taxpayers, despite the additional tax it would create.

The polling place for this election will be at Graham, in the same building in which the regular township votes are cast. The judges will be Clarence R. Leeper, Dwight Davis and Charles Groves. The clerks are Will B. Gex and August Neuffer. If the proposition carries the plan is to issue bonds bearing not to exceed 6 per cent interest, and payable in not more than fifteen annual installments, the first to be paid not later than two years after the bonds are issued.

The Election Officials. The Polk township election judges, of which the first two named are Democrats and the last two Republicans, are:

Precinct A, fourth ward—C. A. Barmann, Jonathan Stark, R. D. Stewart, John D. Herron.

Precinct B, third ward—John R. Evans, R. A. Strawbridge, A. R. Souers, A. S. Watson.

Precinct C, second ward—A. H. Hughes, Henry Trullinger—C. D. Hooker, L. E. Rogers.

Precinct D, first ward—L. H. Frazer, E. F. Wolffert, John L. Tilton, D. A. Appleby.

Polk Democratic Racers. The Democrats of Polk township have a good ticket and it is predicted that they will win. Headed by W. F. Bolin for trustee, who will make an efficient officer, the ticket is composed of W. L. Robey for collector, E. E. Tilton for assessor, B. F. Douglass and A. A. Wiley for members of the township board, Judge W. L. Johnson for justice of the peace, and Robert Jones for constable.

## To-night

The Twenty Million Dollar Mystery  
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## CHANGES IN CHURCH

PRESBYTERIAN BOARD OF ELDER'S INCREASED TO NINE.

## JACKSON HEAD TRUSTEE

Succeeds Charles Wadley, While Number Is Increased by Three—Held Three Services Yesterday.

The yearly congregational meeting of the First Presbyterian church, for the purpose of electing a board of trustees and elders was held yesterday morning at the regular church service hour.

The board of elders was augmented by one, making a board of nine members, two of these to be from the rural membership of the church. Those whose terms expired yesterday were Roy J. Curfman, clerk of the board, and Dr. P. M. Martin. Each was elected to succeed themselves and Charles Wadley was elected to the place held by the late George W. Demott. A. S. Watson was chosen as the new member. The personnel of the board now is Joseph Jackson, Sr., G. H. Colbert, S. G. Gilliam, T. M. C. Neff, S. E. Farmer, Dr. P. M. Martin, A. S. Watson, Charles Wadley and Roy Curfman.

Joseph Jackson, Jr., was elected to fill the place of Charles Wadley, president of the board of trustees. Martin Lewis, treasurer, and Fred French, secretary of the board were each re-elected. A vote was taken to raise the board of trustees from seven to ten members and the new ones selected were C. Edwin Wells, Fred Yeomans and Prof. H. P. Swinehart. The other members of the board are John Richey, D. E. Hotchkiss and John Dempsey.

Three services were held yesterday by the pastor, the Rev. S. D. Harkness, who is conducting a ten days evangelistic service.

At 11 o'clock the Rev. Mr. Harkness preached from the subject "Prayer." The sermon was of the character to hold the intense interest of the audience which crowded the auditorium. At this hour a number of new members were received into the church.

In the afternoon the Rev. Mr. Harkness held a special service for men at which he made an address on the subject of "Memories That Trouble." The music was given by a quartet composed of Harvey McClary, Prof. H. B. Schuler, George F. Davis and Prof. John Cameron. In the evening an evangelistic service was held and the Rev. Mr. Harkness talked from the subject "The Folly of Neglect."

The services will be held nightly this week, beginning at 7:45 o'clock each night. In addition to the sermon, a special musical program will be given.

The subject of the Rev. Mr. Harkness' sermon for tonight will be "Should a Man Bother With Christianity?"

## SOCIOLOGY EXPERT DIES.

Dr. Charles R. Henderson, Professor of University of Chicago, Succumbs. By American Press.

Charles R. Henderson, professor of sociology in the University of Chicago, died here today after a short illness. Dr. Henderson was widely known for his work in sociology.

## CLYDE COUNCIL TO DEBATE.

Will Discuss Leading Topic at Fortnightly Meeting Friday Night.

Friday night the Clyde Culture council, a social and literary organization which holds fortnightly meetings at the Clyde school house, near Hopkins, will have a debate on the question "Resolved, That the United States Government Should Own and Operate a Merchant Marine." The leaders in the debate will be B. E. Blackney and A. A. Ringgold.

This debate will be the last one of the year. The school term closes on April 16, and at this time a program will be given by the children. The proceeds obtained from this entertainment will apply toward a library fund for the school.

Installs New Switch Board. A new switch board was installed last week in the office of the Mutual telephone exchange at Barnard. The new apparatus is a double one and a great improvement on the old one. Other changes are to be made for the betterment of the service at Barnard.

Miss Bess Scott returned Saturday night from Albany, where she had been the past week directing a musical chorus for a home talent play given at that place Friday night.

## U. C. T. PICK OFFICERS

United Commercial Travelers Elect H. T. Hooker, Senior Counselor—E. G. Orear, Secretary-Treasurer.

The annual election of officers was held in the Knights of Pythias hall Saturday night by local lodge No. 484 of the United Commercial Travelers. The new officers were then installed into office. They are chosen by advancement. Those selected were: Senior counselor, Hal T. Hooker. Junior counselor, Earl Barmann. Past counselor, J. H. Thorp. Secretary-treasurer, E. G. Orear. Conductor, P. J. Basford. Page, T. K. Wray. Sentinel, T. C. Hollowell. Members of executive committee for two-year terms, J. H. Sewell and F. P. Reullard.

Members of executive committee for one-year terms, E. B. Sheldon and George J. Moore. Delegate to grand council to be held in Jefferson City, June 4 and 5, Hal T. Hooker. Alternate, J. H. Aley. The principal past officers were: Senior counselor, J. H. Thorp; junior counselor, Hal T. Hooker; past counselor, S. O. Hutchison; secretary-treasurer since 1910, E. G. Orear; conductor, Earl Barmann; page, P. J. Basford; sentinel, T. K. Wray. The local lodge of the U. C. T. now has a membership of fifty-four. All are now or have been traveling salesmen.

## START DIGGING WELL SOON

W. M. Edwards, Fulton, Will Supervise Installation of Water System for Electric Company.

W. M. Edwards of Fulton will arrive in Maryville either this afternoon or tonight to begin the digging of a deep well for the Maryville Electric Light and Power company, according to a telegram received this morning by C. C. Hellmers, manager. Mr. Edwards has shipped the well digging apparatus from near Glasgow, where it has been stalled since the bad roads. It is expected to arrive this week.

Mr. Edwards has just finished a municipal well at Monett, and comes here from that city. The well will be at the rear of the power plant. It is believed sufficient water can be reached at a depth between 600 and 800 feet. The well is being installed more for emergency and protection, rather than for constant use by the light company, Mr. Hellmers said. The necessity of having to ship water here last summer from St. Joseph, while the municipal plant was unable to furnish it, caused the company to attempt a system of its own.

## GEORGE W. HUGHES DEAD.

Hopkins Lumber Merchant Dies Saturday—Funeral Held Today.

The funeral services of George W. Hughes, who died Saturday afternoon, were held this afternoon at the family home, conducted by the Rev. Mr. Weaver, pastor of the Presbyterian church, assisted by the Rev. D. W. Griffith, pastor of the Baptist church.

Mr. Hughes became ill about three weeks ago. His health had been failing for some time before that, but his condition was not serious. He was born at New Athens, O., March 15, 1850. When a young man Mr. Hughes came west and settled first at Lenox, Ia. In 1885 he came to Hopkins and engaged in the lumber business and made his home continuously at Hopkins since that time.

Mr. Hughes was married in 1888 to Miss Luella Johnston of Hopkins, who, with one daughter, survives. The daughter is Miss Lou Hughes, a student at the National Kindergarten school of Chicago, who came to Hopkins a week ago, called home by her father's illness. One daughter, Hazel, died in 1894.

The interment was made in the Hopkins cemetery.

## LITTLE HILDA MAKES A HIT.

Mimics "Grown-Ups" at Band Concert—Violin Duet Received Favor.

The program of the weekly band concert yesterday afternoon was above the average, while the audience was a record one, nearly every seat at the opera house being occupied. The two solos by little Miss Hilda Denny and the violin duet by Miss Edith Wilson and Oliver Bovard were particularly well received, as was also the cornet and trombone duet by T. B. Maulding and Hal Hooker.

In addition to the features, the band numbers were above the average. But the mimicking of grown-up lovers by Hilda Denny in "The High Cost of Loving" was particularly well received by the audience.

Mr. and Mrs. William Moss of near Ravenwood were transacting business in Maryville today.

## TOWNSHIP TICKETS

POLITICIANS SELECT CANDIDATES FOR RACE TOMORROW.

## IS LITTLE COMPETITION

Necessary to "Draft" Nominees in Many Instances Over County—More Announcements Made.

A number of township political caucuses were held over Nodaway county Saturday afternoon by both Republicans and Democrats. In fact all that did not select tickets previously for the township elections to be held tomorrow met yesterday to choose their candidates. In most instances there was little competition. It was necessary in nearly every instance, except possibly for collector, constable and trustee, to "draft" loyal party workers for those positions.

A list of the township tickets, both Democratic and Republican, not heretofore announced follows:

Washington Democrats. Washington township ticket of the Democrats: Collector—Clinton Wilson. Assessor—M. L. Griggs. Trustee—John A. Cook. Members of township board—Mildard Ellis.

Justices of the peace—M. C. Noland. Constable—A. B. Davis. Washington Republicans. Republican ticket of Washington township:

Collector—Dave Reynolds. Assessor—W. S. Lemaster. Trustee—W. E. Brittain. Members of township board—J. V. Pugh. Justices of the peace—W. H. Watson. Constable—George C. Weathermon.

Independence Democrats. Democratic ticket for Independence township:

Collector—M. F. Pope. Assessor—George Hepburn. Trustee—L. A. Nigh. Township board—John Campbell, north district; George D. Logan, south district.

Justices of the peace—J. L. Hepburn, north district; L. C. Gooden, south district. Constable—Ben McClain. No ticket was put out by the Republicans.

Hopkins Democrats. Democratic ticket of Hopkins township:

Collector—Al Kysar. Assessor—L. L. Owen. Trustee—J. C. Pistole. Members of township board—J. B. Mayer and W. C. Morehouse. Justices of the peace—Charles McIntyre and F. C. Brown.

Hopkins Republicans. Republican ticket of Hopkins township:

Collector—Ed Corwin. Assessor—Henry Wray. Trustee—E. C. Walker. Members of township board—E. W. Schaffer and T. C. Ulmer. Justices of the peace—J. B. Thompson and C. C. Curry.

Hughes Republicans. Republican ticket for Hughes township:

Collector—Clyde Long. Assessor—George Greeson. Trustee—J. N. Geyer. Members of township board—Jacob Shambarger and Schuyler Shields. Justices of the peace—Robert Noblet and J. A. Daugherty.

Constable—William Howell. White Cloud Democrats. Democratic ticket of White Cloud township:

Trustee—J. Mutz. Members of township board—Rol Evans and James Davison. Collector—Matt Ross. Assessor—Clyde Hoshor. Constable—Bert Locke.

White Cloud Republicans. Republican ticket of White Cloud township:

Trustee—Isaac Coler. (Continued on page 2.)

## TWO INJURED IN RUNAWAY

Mrs. Fred Norris and Brother Injured When Taxicab Seizes Males—Buggy Demolished.

Mrs. Fred Norris, No. 511 South Mulberry street, was bruised and lacerated about the body and one of her fingers dislocated, and her brother, Walter Combs, three miles southeast of Pickering, was also badly bruised, when a span of mules he was driving to a top buggy ran away at Buchanan and Thompson streets at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The team became frightened when a taxicab from the Knox garage was driven past the team by William Edwards, chauffeur.

Mr. Combs and his sister were driving south at the time. Immediately the mules became unmanageable, and gave a sudden turn throwing both Mr. Combs and Mrs. Norris to the ground. Mrs. Norris alighted on the lawn of the Thomas Wadley residence, there by probably preventing worse injuries. Combs partially struck the curb.

The team ran several blocks, finally separating after badly damaging the buggy and the harness. They belonged to John Gray, liveryman, from whom Mr. Combs leases his farm near Pickering.

Mr. Combs and Mrs. Norris were taken to the Norris home for medical treatment, after which Mr. Combs returned to his home. Mrs. Norris was slightly improved today. Her injuries were not serious.

## DEMOCRATIC MEETING TONIGHT.

Polk Township Candidates Will Be Discussed at Culverston's Store.

A Democratic meeting will be held at Culverston's store, East First street, tonight, to discuss the qualifications of the seven Democratic candidates for Polk township offices, subject to the election tomorrow. The principal speaker will be Charles McCaffrey.

## TO CONDUCT ST. JOSEPH MEETING

Baptist Pastor Will Hold Three Weeks Evangelistic Service.

The Rev. Lewis M. Hale, pastor of the First Baptist church, left this afternoon for St. Joseph, where he will conduct a three weeks revival service at the Patee Park Baptist church, of which the Rev. Charles Durden is pastor.

During Rev. Hale's absence the Men's club of the church will have charge of the Sunday services at this church.

## NORMAL HAS A MUSICAL.

Students and Faculty Entertained by Orchestra and Glee Club.

An excellent musical program was given during the assembly period at the Normal school this morning. The school orchestra, under the leadership of W. Lee Griffin, gave several selections, after which the Normal Glee club, directed by Prof. H. B. Schuler, sang three songs. Following the songs Mr. Griffin played two violin solos, accompanied by Mr. Schuler at the piano.

## WOMEN'S SOCIETIES TO MEET

Joint Missionary Convention to Be Held at Savannah April 8 and 9.

The second quarterly meeting of the Des Moines branch of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist church in which Nodaway county is included, will be held April 8 and 9 at Savannah. Jointly with this meeting will be held the annual convention of the St. Joseph district, and the convention is one of the most important missionary meetings of the year.

A number of prominent workers are on the program and the discussions will be on topics of vital interest.

Among the Nodaway county delegates who will take a part in the program are Mrs. T. A. Coker of Burlington Junction and Miss Kate Willis of Maryville. A great many from the various societies in the county expect to attend the convention.

Purchases Burgin Property. Rolla Alexander has purchased the M. T. Burgin property at 820 North Main street and will move there this week.

## CIRCUIT COURT BEGINS NEXT WEEK

ONLY THIRD OF 148 CASES DOCKETED ARE NEW.

## FEW CRIMINAL CASES HAVE BEEN RECORDED

With Exception of Gaming Charges, State Litigations Are Mostly "Re-hashed"—14 Seek Divorces.

There are 148 cases, forty-nine of them new ones, docketed for trial in the April term of circuit court which convenes here with Judge W. C. Ellison presiding, Monday April 5, according to the court docket issued today.

While the docket is not a light one, just medium, there are few cases, either criminal or civil, of importance.

Many of the cases, or two-thirds of them were continued from last court term, or are appeals from police, justice or probate courts. In the criminal docket there are eighteen charges of gambling violations, one for disturbing the peace, one for assault with intent to kill, one for grand larceny. The remainder were continued. In fact few criminal charges have been brought since the January term, excepting the gaming cases.

Fourteen Seek Divorces. In the equity docket most of the suits are for partition of estates, perfection of titles, appeals, or motions.

There are, however, fourteen divorce suits, virtually all new.

In the trial or law docket, the majority of cases are for damages collection of taxes by the city and county, replevins, attachments and appeals.

There also are thirteen paroles to be considered on the opening day of court, next Monday. Then the equity and trial cases will be taken up for consideration. It is scheduled that all civil suits be disposed of the first week, when criminal cases shall come up for hearing Monday, April 12.

Twenty-four jurors have been summoned to appear for service in the April term.

## ITALY CENSORS WAR NEWS

Military Activities to Be Screened for 3 Months, Beginning Wednesday, Council Decides.

By American Press. Rome, March 29.—A rigid censorship upon the publication of military news from March 31 to July 30 has been established by a royal decree issued in connection with a decision reached by the council of ministers at its session Saturday and announced today.

## RAMS A GERMAN SUBMARINE

English Railway Packet Chased by Plunger—Believed It Sank Enemy's Vessel.

By American Press. London, March 29.—The railway packet City of Brussels encountered a German submarine yesterday in the English channel. The captain of the steamer immediately took the aggressive and fired on the submarine, which, taken by surprise, started to submerge. The ship captain turned quickly in an effort to ram the submarine. He expressed the belief that he succeeded in sinking it. His vessel was going six knots an hour at the time.

## Repair Ream Basement Wall.

The brick wall at the east side of the Ream hotel is being rebuilt, and the areaway leading from the street into the basement of the hotel is being generally improved this week.

## THE WEATHER

Increasing cloudiness tonight and Tuesday; probably showers.

TO-NIGHT 7:30

## "The Life of Our Saviour"

In Natural Colors. Nine Acts—9000 feet of film. After third reel M will sing "THE HOLY CITY"; after the sixth reel Miss Wright "THE PALMS". Maulding's Orchestra. Adults 25c—Children 15c.

FERN THEATRE

TO-NIGHT 7:30



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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We wish to announce the candidacy of Prof. Bert Cooper for county superintendent of schools of Nodaway county, subject to the action of the voters at the annual school election on Tuesday, April 6.

We wish to announce the candidacy of Prof. John J. Davis for County Superintendent of Schools of Nodaway county, subject to the action of the voters at the annual school election, Tuesday, April 6.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for city collector, subject to the voters of Maryville, Mo., at the election to be held Tuesday, April 6.  
ELMER W. (RED) BARROCK.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of city collector, subject to the decision of the voters at the city election, Tuesday, April 6, 1915.  
VERNON E. DICKSON.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for City Collector, subject to the voters of Maryville, at the election to be held Tuesday, April 6.  
O. P. WADE.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for City Collector, subject to the voters of Maryville, at the election, Tuesday, April 6.  
W. A. TOWNSEND.

For Alderman.  
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for alderman from the second ward, subject to the decision of the voters at the city election Tuesday, April 6, 1915.  
J. D. FORD.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for councilman from the fourth ward, subject to the decision of the voters at the city election, Tuesday, April 6.  
LOUIS GRAM.

To the Voters of the First Ward, Maryville, Mo.  
Gentlemen:—Having been solicited by many of the voters of this ward to become a candidate for Alderman of said ward, I have agreed to do so and hereby announce that I will be a candidate at the polls at the city election April 6th, 1915, for alderman of the First ward of Maryville, Mo.  
ED F. HAMLIN.

To the Voters of the Third Ward, Maryville, Mo.  
Gentlemen:—Having been solicited by many of the voters of this ward to become a candidate for Alderman of said ward, I have agreed to do so and hereby announce that I will be a candidate at the polls at the city election April 6th, 1915, for Alderman of said ward, Maryville, Mo.  
M. A. PEERY.

To the Voters of the Third Ward, Maryville, Mo.  
Gentlemen. Having been solicited by many of the voters of this ward to become a candidate for alderman of said ward, I have agreed to do so, and hereby announce that I will be a candidate at the polls at the city election, April 6th, 1915, for alderman of said ward, Maryville, Mo.  
MARTIN H. BORRUSCH.

To the Voters of the Fourth Ward, Maryville, Mo.  
Gentlemen: Having been solicited by many of the voters of this ward to become a candidate for alderman of said ward, I have agreed to do so, and hereby announce that I will be a candidate at the polls at the city election, April 6th, 1915, for alderman of said ward, Maryville, Mo.  
ROY MARTIN.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

HOLD BUSINESS MEN'S LUNCH.

Third of Presbyterian Conference to Be Held Tomorrow.

The Presbyterian business men of the city will hold a luncheon and workers' conference tomorrow noon at the Merchants cafe.

This is the third of a series of downtown lunches and meetings which the men of the church have held recently. All who expect to attend tomorrow are requested to give their names to Jim Andy Ford or O. L. Holmes, so that reservations can be made at the cafe.

GAIN IN WHEAT EXPORTS.

Breadstuffs Worth \$358,091.823 Shipped Abroad Last 8 Months.

American breadstuffs worth \$358,091.823 were shipped abroad during the eight months' period ending February 28, last, as compared with \$115,215.881 for the same period of the preceding year.

Figures given out by the department of commerce showed the greatest increase was in wheat exports, which rose from \$67,654,698 a year ago to \$229,205,142. For last month alone the breadstuffs totalled \$62,875,959, compared with the wheat export increased from \$3,983,895 to \$38,399,993.

The department's tables do not show the destination of these shipments, although it is known the great bulk of them went to feed the soldiers and civilian populations of the belligerent countries of Europe.

Exports of corn and oats also leaped upward by millions of dollars last month and the eight month period and in February cotton shipments showed an increase of approximately \$20,000,000 over the same month a year ago. The total of cotton exports for the eight month period, however, fell below the 1914 figures by more than \$200,000,000, the respective amounts being for 1914, \$498,910,358, for 1915, \$243,947,192.

Some idea of the part American beef is playing in feeding the men in the trenches may be gained from the fact that exports of fresh beef increased last month to \$17,812,161 from \$13,845 in February, the preceding year, while during the eight months' period the total export was \$57,000,000 greater than in 1914. Canned beef valued at \$7,264,720 went abroad last month as against \$213,766 a year ago.

FOR RENT—10 acres 2 1/2 miles from Maryville; 4-room house, barn, other buildings, some fruit, 4 acres hog pasture, 5 acres plowed. Rent, \$90. Yeo, 413 North Main. 29-31

WANTED—Woman to help with housework and help care for invalid. Call Farmers phone 164-15.

To Attend Funeral.  
Mrs. Eliza Rayns and her daughter, Mrs. Carr of Cleveland, O., Charles Rayns, and Mrs. Conger of Marion, O., arrived at Clearmont Saturday to attend the funeral services yesterday of John W. Rayns, who was killed Thursday at Fort Worth, Texas. Mrs. Rayns is the mother of the deceased and the others were brothers and sisters. While in Clearmont, the visitors were guests of August Stelter and family.

Here From Kansas City.  
Mrs. Paul Ream of Kansas City, is visiting in Maryville at the home of her father, Joseph Jackson.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for councilman from the first ward, subject to the decision of the voters at the city election, Tuesday, April 6.  
M. A. HAHN.

SCHOOL ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of the independent school district of Maryville, Missouri, that at the regular annual election of said district, to be held at the voting places in the various wards in the city of Maryville, for the election of city officers of said city of Maryville, on Tuesday, April 6th, 1915,

there will be submitted to the qualified voters, who are taxpayers of said school district voting at such election, a proposition to levy a tax of six mills on the dollar on the taxable property of said district in addition to the four mills authorized by law to be levied by the board of directors of said school district for the maintenance of the schools and for school purposes in said school district for the next ensuing school year.

Also the election of two directors for the term of three years each. Done by order of the board of directors this 27th day of February, 1915.

J. R. BRINK,  
President of the Board.  
GEORGE P. WRIGHT, Secretary.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Notice

A general election will be held in the City of Maryville, County of Nodaway, State of Missouri, TUESDAY, APRIL SIX, for the election of fifteen (1915) for the purpose of electing a city collector, a city clerk, a city treasurer, a city engineer and for school purposes from each ward and also a city collector for the next term of S. G. Selemann deceased.

Also the election of two directors for the term of three years each.

S. WRIGHT, Mayor

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Lenox Soap, per bar, limit of 6 bars.....24c  
Fancy Minnesota Rural Potatoes, per bushel.....70c  
California Thin Skin Seedless Big Lemons, doz.....19c  
Basket Red Globe Onions.....15c  
Fresh California Asparagus, bunch, 10c; lb.....20c  
Genuine Red Alaska Salmon, fish weigh 3 to 4 lbs, lb.....12 1/2c  
Instant Postum, 60c cans.....45c  
Old Style Postum, 25c pkgs.....20c  
15c Grape Nut, pkg.....12c  
Sweet Navel Oranges, extra large 50c kind.....35c  
Medium size 40c kind.....20c  
Small size, 2 dozen.....25c  
Pork and Beans, Beechnut brand, Vancamp brand, Snider's—  
10c cans, doz.....90c  
15c cans, doz.....140c  
20c cans, doz.....185c  
No. 3 cans best Tomatoes, 3 for 25c; doz.....95c  
No. 3 cans Old Style Hominy, 4 for 25c; doz.....70c  
No. 3 cans Pumpkin, 3 for 25c; doz 85c  
No. 3 cans Early Red Beet, 3 for 25c; doz.....90c  
No. 3 cans Sour Kraut, 3 for 25c; doz.....88c  
Cudahy's Sugar Cured Picnic Hams, less than wholesale price; per lb, 10c They weigh 8 to 10 lbs each.  
John Morrell's Sugar Cured Lean Bacon, the 25c grade, selected pieces only.....19c

The Newest and Best  
Brand Rolled Oats, Gold Medal White Oats—packed in round, moisture and vermin proof packages. This price to introduce the goods  
25c boxes, one to a customer 15c.  
10c boxes, one to a customer 8c.

Genuine Whitefish (not herring or suckers), large fat fish, lb.....15c  
Snider's Catsup, 25c bottles.....20c  
Finest Spinach, large cans.....15c  
Red Kidney Beans, 2 cans.....15c

Finest Hams, lb. only 15c  
Don't forget that Easter Breakfast without Ham is like Thanksgiving without turkey. Our 15c Hams are mild cured and fine flavored. We cut them at 16c.

Cudahy's Lean Bacon, lb.....17c

For Flower and Garden Seeds, Onion Sets, pure grade Seed Potatoes—be sure to see us, you want what you want and we have it.

Finest quantity Red River pure Ohio Seed Potatoes, per bu. \$1.00.  
20 thousand packages, 5c size seeds, at 2 dozen for 25c  
Any kind Onion Sets, per gallon 25c.

Townsend's  
Fourth and Main Streets.

TOWNSHIP TICKETS

(Continued from page 1.—  
Members township board—Alfred Jones and Ed Crane.

Collector—W. H. Fannon.  
Assessor—Earl Vickery.  
Constable—A. C. Nestor.  
Justice of the peace—W. A. Shinabargar.

Lincoln Democrats.  
Lincoln township Democratic ticket: Trustee—Ed Graham.  
Members township board—William Walter and M. W. Bowman.  
Collector—George T. Clardy.  
Assessor—W. D. Beaver.  
Constable—James Honaker.  
Justice of the peace—C. T. Wiley.

Lincoln Republicans.  
Republican ticket of Lincoln township: Trustee—J. T. Vansickle.  
Members township board—T. R. Lavengood and — Potts.  
Collector—A. M. Kirby.

Jackson Republicans.  
Jackson township Republican ticket: Trustee—Ira Wells.  
Members township board—Charles Henson and C. T. Warehine.  
Collector—W. Leslie Rhoades.  
Assessor—W. F. Sawyers.  
Constable—William Bogue.  
Justices of the peace—C. C. Tebow and W. Oglesbey.

Atchison Republicans.  
Republican ticket of Atchison township: Trustee—Bert Morrell.  
Member township board—Albert Miller and William Davis.  
Collector—C. A. Skeed.  
Assessor—William Wolf.  
Constable—Joe Rogers.  
Justices of the peace—T. J. Rogers and Ephraim Johnson.

Jefferson Democrats.  
Jefferson township Democratic ticket: Trustee—D. J. Mossey.  
Assessor—John Martindale.  
Trustee—Joseph Voelker.  
Members of township board—Ersel Durbin and Henry Bird.  
Constable—Gabe Purcell.  
Republican ticket for Jefferson township: Collector—Peter Peterson.  
Assessor—Alfonso Auer.  
Trustee—Julius Klaas.  
Members of township board—Ed Allen and Joseph Wohlford.

No candidates could be found to take the nomination for justice of the peace.

Union Republicans.  
Republican ticket for Union township: Collector—James L. Clayton.  
Assessor—John B. Loch, Jr.  
Trustees—T. N. Kelley.  
Members of township board—Grant C. Dowling and George D. Hackett.  
Justice of the peace—Walter E. Johnson.

Atchison Democrats.  
Democratic ticket for Atchison township: Collector—George McDermott.  
Assessor—George Benethin.  
Trustee—B. C. Souers.  
Constable—R. D. Blaine.  
Members of township board—Mike McGettigan and Jake Cox.  
Justice of the peace—L. C. Curren.

Greene Democrats.  
Collector—Fred Wright.

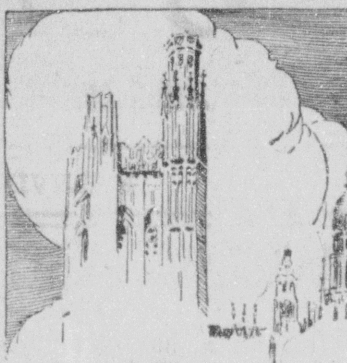
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Own Good

Don't let your money get away from you unless it is actually doing you some good. If you will stop a minute to think it over you'll find much of the money you spend is really wasted.

Cultivate the habit of saving and you will soon have enough to make an investment in a business or a home.

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"HOME OF SAVINGS"  
Maryville, - Missouri



EASTER



Assessor—Henry O' Riley.  
Trustee—H. D. McDonald.  
Constable—J. E. Jones.  
Members of township board—Samuel Rodman, west side of river; W. H. Davenport, east side.  
Justices of the peace—S. S. Wolcott and H. A. Money.

Green Republicans.  
Collector—C. A. Johnston.  
Assessor—George Williams.  
Trustee—A. S. Cordell.  
Constable—R. L. Ellsworth.  
Members township board—William Berry and L. O. Staples.  
No candidates for justices of the peace.

Monroe Democrats.  
Collector—Charles H. Geyer.  
Assessor—Jesse Patton.  
Trustee—Reuben Barrett.  
Constable—Leford J. Goatcher.  
Members township board—Frank Goslee, east of river, and Jonas F. Brown, west of river.  
Justices of the peace—Henry Miller and M. P. Horn.

Monroe Republicans.  
Collector—Charles H. Geyer.  
Assessor—E. D. French.  
Constable—Arch Hitchcock.  
Trustee—Reuben Barrett.  
Members township board—Frank Goslee and William Sanders.  
Justices of the peace—Stratford Sanders and Mark Loucks.

Says Lady Paget Lives.  
Washington, March 29.—The British embassy here received a message from the foreign office in London denying the report that Lady Ralut Paget had died at Uskub, where she was serving with a Red Cross hospital unit. "No truth whatever in the report," the message said. "Latest news from her was good."

2,000 Butchers Put Out of Business.  
London, March 29.—Two thousand butcher shops have been closed in England since the beginning of the war. The increased prices of meat and the effort in most households to economize closely has been the cause for the decreased consumption, which has hit the retail butcher very hard.

Villa Occupies the Outer Works.  
El Paso, Tex., March 29.—The Villa forces, commanded by General Jose Rodriguez, attacking Matamoras, occupied the outer positions and began the assault for the control of the city proper, according to dispatches received here.

The funeral services for the 2-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kelley of East First street, who died Saturday afternoon, were held this afternoon at the family home, conducted by the Rev. Gilbert S. Cox, pastor of the First Methodist church.

FOR RENT—3-room modern house, corner of Market and Sixth streets, the Ted Costello property. Also an office room for rent. Holmes & Wolfert.  
29-31

Personal Pride

All people pride themselves on having a new suit for Easter—that's only natural.

But--isn't it just a mite better to pride yourself on having purchased a suit that's "all the go,—and on your excellent judgment, evidenced by the fact that the suit you chose outwore even your own expectations?

We take a similar pride in our merchandise, because it has proven satisfactory to the greatest extent—let us serve you to the best—Clothcraft, \$10, \$12.50, \$15, \$16.50 and \$18.50.

Hart, Schaffner and Marx---  
\$18.00 to \$27.50.

Montgomery--Lyle  
Clothing Company

YOURS TO PLEASE

FARM HOUSE BURNED.

Home of Harvey Cline, East of Pickering, Destroyed.

The house on the farm of Harvey Cline, three miles east of Pickering, was burned, together with most of its contents, about 6 o'clock this morning. The fire originated from a defective flue. The house was a six-room frame dwelling and was insured.

To Hold Choir Rehearsal.

The regular rehearsal of the First Christian church choir will be held at the church Thursday night. All members are expected to prepare for the Easter musicale.

MOZINGO VALLEY.

Robert Mazingo has gone to Bedford, Ia., where he will visit Mr. and Mrs. McConnell.

Drexel Morgan is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Moore.

Miss Mabel Null, teacher of the Mazingo Valley school, went to her home in Pickering Wednesday to attend the marriage of her brother, Howard Null, and Miss Irene Burks.

Jean Florea is spending a few days the guest of Charles Florea.

The H. K. G. club was entertained Friday afternoon by Mrs. C. J. Killam.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Useful Current

Electric lighting is really but one of the minor advantages of electricity. If you will let our representative call he will show you many uses which will lighten and and facilitate your labors with but little additional expense to you and can in many instances prove an actual monetary saving over your present methods. Just call Hanamo 21. Such information is part of our service and costs you nothing.

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## Easter Hosiery

Every one wants new Hose on Easter.

Phoenix Silk Hose for Ladies  
per pair 75c and \$1.00"Radimoor" Honest Dollar  
Silk Hose for Ladies, in 42  
colors. Pair \$1.00Our No. 2040 Ladies Black  
Cotton Hose are the best ever  
sold by any firm at 25cBuy Children's hose of us and  
get the best values ever of-  
fered at 10c, 15c and 25c

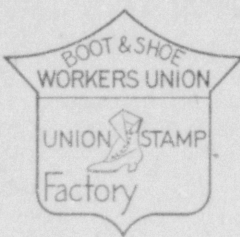
## GAYNOR ITEMS.

Sherman Munn sawed wood for Del-  
mar New Thursday.The N. N. club met with Mrs. Austin  
Sharr Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Ko-  
ger became a member.Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Lawler an-  
nounce the arrival of a little son in  
their home. Tony Stoner's have a girl.Mrs. Groves is visiting at the home  
of her daughter, Mrs. Austin Sharr.Mrs. E. M. Thomas called on Mrs.  
George Negus Thursday afternoon.Mrs. Edward West is visiting rela-  
tives in Hopkins.

Lila, the little daughter of Theo-

Jackson, has been ill for several days.  
Mr. and Mrs. George Hepburn were  
shopping in Hopkins Wednesday.

## Has Closing Out Sale.

Having rented his farm, George W.  
DeWitt, two miles southwest of Mary-  
ville, is holding a public auction of  
live stock, farm implements and feed  
and household furnishings. One of the  
offerings is sixty head of Duroc Jersey  
hogs.The Rev. C. R. Green of Harmony  
church was shopping in Maryville to-  
day.The Union Stamp is  
The Peaceful Uplifting,  
Educational, Econom-  
ic Emblem of the Or-  
ganized Shoe Workers.It aims to secure bigger, better and  
happier working and living conditions  
for Union Shoe Workers by Progres-  
sive means; never by destructive  
measures.

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Write for list of Union Shoe Factories

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## The "Clean Up and Paint Up" Army

Yes M'am, We are here to fix  
your house for Clean Up day.  
You will need a little Lumber  
and Plaster; But to finish these  
walls properly you should use  
**Heath & Milligan's Flat  
Wall Finish**, Yes you get these  
from

Curfman Lumber Co.

ITALY CALLS UPON  
ITS ALPINE TROOPSArtillery and Engineer Reserve  
Officers Ordered to Report.Rome, March 29.—All the Alpine  
troops of the first category, born in  
1883, have been called to the colors  
by the Italian war department for for-  
ty-five days.The official military journal also  
calls to the colors all artillery and en-  
gineer reserve officers for sixty days  
from April 15.The Alpine troops are frontier  
forces, organized especially to defend  
the mountain passes leading into  
Italy. This force consists of eight  
regiments (twenty-eight battalions)  
of Alpine infantry and two regiments  
of Alpine artillery. In addition to these there are  
two regiments of heavy artillery, of  
ten batteries each, one regiment of  
horse artillery of eight batteries and  
ten regiments of fortress artillery.

## KILLED IN A DOUGH MIXER

Machinist Crushed to Death in Bakery  
Machine He Is Testing.Chicago, March 29.—Crushed to  
death in an electric dough mixer was  
the fate of Frank Lagat, a young ma-  
chinist. The accident happened in the  
basement of Renold's bakery. The  
mixer revolves like a big rimless  
wheel, steel bars protruding from the  
hub-like center. Lagat was testing  
the machine and his clothing is sup-  
posed to have caught on the revolving  
bars.

## Costs 13,000 Men to Gain One Mile.

London, March 29.—The British  
public is not deceived by the lack of  
definite reports as to the British losses  
in the Nueve Chappelle fight in France.  
The official announcement that the  
British had taken 18,000 prisoners and  
the official estimate that the Germans  
must have lost 18,000 men in the ter-  
rific bombardment, prepared the public  
for heavy losses on the British side.  
Rumors ran that the total loss to gain  
about a mile of territory was in the  
neighborhood of 13,000 men.

## Germans to Give Bulgars Turk Land.

London, March 29.—A Sofia dis-  
patch to the Exchange Telegraph com-  
pany says that the mission of German  
Field Marshal von der Goltz is to offer  
Bulgaria on behalf of Turkey the  
Enos-Midia line in return for Bul-  
garia's neutrality. It includes the  
stronghold of Adrianople, Kirk-Kiliseh  
and other important towns.

## Fire Sweeps Carriage Plant.

Camden, N. J., March 29.—Fire  
swept through a part of the plant of  
the Collins Carriage company here,  
causing a loss estimated at \$100,000.  
A large number of automobiles, which  
were being repaired, were destroyed.GREEKS DENY THAT  
THEY MUST FIGHTAthens, March 29.—An official com-  
munication on the foreign policy of  
Greece was issued. It says:"The government attributing great  
importance to the calm and tranqui-  
lity of public opinion regarding the  
proper treatment of foreign affairs,  
considers it an absolute necessity to  
deny statements to the effect that if  
Greece does not abandon its attitude  
of neutrality it will lose the opportu-  
nity of realizing its national aspira-  
tions.""The divergence of views between  
the government and its predecessor  
arose from" opinions regarding the  
gravity of the dangers threatening the  
integrity of the country. The govern-  
ment is doing everything in its power  
to avoid possible dangers."

## Hour of Service Changed.

The regular Sunday evening church  
services in the First Methodist, First  
Baptist, Buchanan Street Methodist,  
First Presbyterian and First Christian  
churches will begin at 8 o'clock in-  
stead of 7:30 o'clock, beginning Sun-  
day night, April 4.SAMUEL D. HARKNESS,  
Chairman Ministerial Alliance.SOCIETY  
AND  
CLUBLANDKATE SCHENCK  
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## Calendar.

Mrs. J. E. Melvin will be hostess to  
the meeting of the Mutual Improve-  
ment Circle Tuesday afternoon.The Modern Drama department of  
the Twentieth Century club will meet  
at the Elks club Thursday night.The Women's Foreign Missionary so-  
ciety of the First Methodist church will  
meet Thursday afternoon at the home  
of Mrs. O. C. Hanna, 1209 North Main  
street.The Women's Missionary society of  
the First Baptist church will give a tea  
Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs.  
James Cook.The Ladies' Aid society of the Bu-  
chanan Street Methodist church will  
hold a business meeting at the church  
at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon.The C. W. B. M. and the Mission  
Circle will hold a joint session at the  
church Friday.The Daughters of the American Rev-  
olution will be entertained Saturday  
afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles  
Thomas Bell, with Mrs. T. L. Robinson,  
Mrs. Susan Helwig, Misses Orrill and  
Katherine Helwig and Mrs. Bell, host-  
esses.

## Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Wright gave a  
dinner party yesterday noon, ent-  
ertaining the Rev. and Mrs. Robert Lyle  
Finch and son, Robert, Jr.

## Mrs. Bailey Hostess.

Mrs. J. W. Bailey was the hostess  
of a dinner party given at noon Sun-  
day at her home on North Lawn avenue.  
Plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. A.  
C. Gann, Mr. and Mrs. John Airy, Mr.  
and Mrs. Emery Airy and Miss Lucile  
Airy.

## Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Young and  
daughters gave a dinner party Sat-  
urday at their home on East Third street  
entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mer-  
cer, Mrs. Frank Young, Miss Mary  
Coulter and Kenneth Leech.

## Celebrates Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Moore cele-  
brated the fourth anniversary of their  
wedding day yesterday by entertaining  
a party of friends at a dinner served at  
1 o'clock. Plates were laid for Mr.  
and Mrs. Rolla Alexander, Mr. and Mrs.  
Emmett Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Clark  
Scott and daughter, Virginia, and the  
hosts.

## Recital Program.

The usual fortnightly recital will be  
given tonight at 7:30 o'clock at the  
Conservatory of Music. The pupils tak-  
ing part are Miss Inez Hall, Miss Ge-  
neva Willey, Miss Dorothy McDonald,  
Miss Laura Curfman, Helen Curfman,  
Eva Beaman, Esther Sutterlin and Ned  
Colbert.

## Mrs. Bailey Hostess.

The usual fortnightly meeting of the  
P. E. O. chapter was held Saturday af-  
ternoon with Mrs. John Eldon Bailey.  
During the business session com-  
mittees were appointed to prepare the  
course of study for the coming year.  
Games and luncheon concluded the af-  
ternoon. The game favor was awarded  
to Mrs. Charles Wadley.

## Farewell Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Goforth ent-  
ertained with a dinner party Sunday at  
their home on West Fourth street  
at which plates were laid for Mr. and  
Mrs. Ova Hazelwood and daughter of  
Barnard, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Stoner,  
and son of Whitesville; Miss Mary  
Goforth of Burlington Junction and  
the hosts and family. The dinner was  
a farewell gathering for Mr. Goforth,  
who will leave soon for Montana to  
spend the summer on his ranch.

## Enjoying New York.

Prof. and Mrs. John A. Lesh, who  
are in New York City, taking a special  
course of lectures at Columbia uni-  
versity, are at home at "The Bryant"  
42 Bank street, and write to their  
friends in this city of the splendid  
work accomplished during the year.  
Mr. Lesh obtains his Ph. D. degree in  
June. Mrs. Lesh has been devoting  
her time to study while there. Their  
plans for work for the remainder of  
the year are not yet decided upon.

## Society Holds an Interesting Session.

"The Red Man and His White Neighbor"  
formed topic of an interesting  
afternoon's study Friday for the Wom-  
an's Home Missionary society of the  
First Methodist church at a meeting  
held at the home of Mrs. S. H. Kemp.  
The program numbers were given by  
Mrs. L. E. Dean, Mrs. L. L. Maier, Mrs.  
C. F. Remus and Mrs. A. Kern. Dur-  
ing the social hour, Mrs. Kemp was  
assisted by Mrs. W. O. Garrett, Mrs.  
W. L. Ruddell, Mrs. M. D. Kemp, and  
Mrs. Henry Wright. Among the vis-  
itors present were Mrs. F. M. Compton,  
Mrs. John Lorange, Mrs. O. C. Hanna,  
Mrs. Milton Rittenour, and Mrs. George  
Kemp.

## Dinner Party.

Prof. and Mrs. W. M. Westbrook were  
the complimentary guests of a dinner  
given yesterday noon by Mr. and Mrs.  
William Everhart of South Main street.

## Mr. and Mrs. Eckles Hosts.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Eckles were  
the hosts of a dinner party given at  
noon yesterday at which they ent-  
ertained Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Lippman  
and daughter, Louise; Mr. and Mrs.  
Fred French and son, Fred, Jr., and  
Mrs. Lorette Lippman.

## OBSERVE PALM SUNDAY

First Methodists to Hold Services  
Each Night This Week.The second of a spe- series of ser-  
mons for Passion week will be given  
tonight at the First Methodist church  
by the pastor, the Rev. Gilbert S. Cox.  
The sermon subject will be "I Find no  
Fault in Him." The choir will present  
a special musical program.Yesterday a special observance was  
made for Palm Sunday. A baptismal  
service for new members was held  
and the musical program, taken from  
"The Crucifixion," by Stainer, included  
three numbers that were well present-  
ed. The Rev. Mr. Cox spoke from the  
Death and Burial of Christ, and the  
Deat hand Burial of Christ, and the  
worship concluded with the com-  
munion service.Services will be held during the  
week and the sermons will be from  
the general topic, "The Testimony of  
His Enemies."

## ALANTHUS RESIDENT DIES.

Funeral of Thomas Jennings, 44, to Be  
Held Wednesday.Thomas Jennings, living east of  
Alanthus, died at 4 o'clock yesterday  
afternoon, his death following a short  
illness with appendicitis. The funeral  
services will be held at the home  
Wednesday afternoon.Mr. Jennings was 44 years old and is  
survived by one daughter. His wife  
died eight years ago.

## To Visit in Kansas City.

Miss Mildred Robinson left this  
morning for Kansas City to spend a  
few days visiting at the home of her  
uncle and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ar-  
thur Miller.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

OLDER OFFICERS  
ARE CROWDED OUTRanks of Privates Drawn Upon  
For French Commanders.London, March 29.—Under the cap-  
tion, "The French Army as It Is," the  
French review of the war deals ex-  
haustively with the condition of the  
army after six months of war, the  
higher command, the supply of offi-  
cers and noncommissioned officers  
and of manions of war of all kinds,  
and transport and auxiliary services.  
The compiler of the report states  
that the condition of the French army  
is excellent and appreciably superior  
to what it was at the beginning of the  
war from the three points of view of  
numbers, quality and equipment.In the higher command the import-  
ant changes have been made. It has,  
in fact, been rejuvenated by the pro-  
motion of young commanders of su-  
perior quality to high rank. All the old  
generals, who at the beginning of Au-  
gust were at the head of the large  
commands, have been gradually elimi-  
nated, some as the result of the phys-  
ical strain of the war and others by  
appointment to other commands.  
Many men who began the war on  
Aug. 21 as privates now wear the of-  
ficers' epaulettes.Located.  
"What's become of the solitary horse  
man who used to appear in the first  
chapter of the novel, outlined against  
the horizon on the top of the hill?"  
"He is probably at the bottom of the  
same hill in an automobile with his en-  
gine stalled."—Puck.

## Seven by the Average.

Knicker—How big is your boy?  
Bocker—He takes a ten-year-old suit  
and a four-year-old car seat. He aver-  
ages seven.—New York Sun.The sandal tree imparts its fragrance  
even to the ax that hews it.—Hindu  
Proverb

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Carefully Treat  
Children's ColdsNeglect of children's colds often lays the  
foundation of serious lung trouble. On  
the other hand, it is harmful to contin-  
ually dose delicate little stomachs with in-  
ternal medicines or to keep the children  
always indoors.  
Plenty of fresh air in the bedroom and a  
good application of Vick's "Vap-O-Rub"  
Salve over the throat and chest at the first  
sign of trouble, will keep the little chaps  
free from colds without injuring their di-  
gestions. 25c, 50c, or \$1.00.

VICK'S "VAPORUS" SALVE

Alderman Yehle Dry Goods Co  
WEST THIRD STREET, MARYVILLE, MO.

New

We were fortunate this morning in receiving by  
express some smart New Easter Apparel. You have  
only five days left in which to do your Easter shop-  
ping, and we have arranged to have crisp NEW mer-  
chandise in every department for this week.

## Easter Apparel

In the assortment this morning  
are smart Top Coats, Stylish Suits,  
and separate skirts with the  
very latest fashion touches. This,  
in addition to the new Spring ap-  
parel previously assembled, af-  
fords you a wide variety to select  
from, and assures you the styles  
are correct.These are of the very best  
quality of material and work-  
manship, and they are moderate-  
ly priced.

## EASTER FOOTWEAR

We have received a shipment of the new styles  
in footwear, which will beautify the feet and distin-  
guish the wearer as a woman of good taste in dress.  
This shipment comprises both low and high shoes,  
included are the, "Aristo," "Argentine," "Meadow  
Brook," "Hesitation," "Bronx Colonial," and other  
new colonial and strap effects.Come in and try on a pair of the 1915 models,  
and receive a pleasant surprise.

## LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

## CHICAGO.

Cattle—16,000. Market 10c lower.  
Estimate tomorrow, 3,000.  
Hogs—28,000. Market 5c higher;  
top, \$6.90. Estimate tomorrow, 20,000.  
Sheep—12,000.

## KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—11,000. Market 10c lower.  
Hogs—1,000. Market weak to 5c  
lower; top, \$6.92.

## ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—1,300. Market 10c lower.  
Hogs—4,000. Market weak to 5c  
lower; top, \$6.70.  
Sheep—11,000. Market weak.

## Shenandoah Has 5,500.

The 1915 census of Shenandoah, Ia.,  
which was taken recently, shows about  
5,500 population. In 1910, the govern-  
ment census gave Shenandoah 4,976.  
Clarinda, according to the 1910 census,  
had a population of 4,000, and now has  
about 4,500.The Christian Endeavor society of  
the First Christian church will hold  
a business meeting in the Endeavor  
rooms at 7 o'clock tomorrow night,  
preparatory to the pantomime to be  
given at 8 o'clock that night by Mrs.  
R. L. Finch's Sunday school class.

## Easter Flowers

and Plants. Come and bring  
your friends to see our display  
of Lilies, Roses, Daffodils,  
Hyacinths, Tulips, Cyclamen,  
Spireas; Etc., which we have  
potted or for cut. We also  
have plenty of fresh cut roses,  
Carnations, Sweet Peas, Vio-  
lets, Lily of the Valley, Etc.  
We deliver all orders promptly  
and safely.The Engelmann  
Greenhouses

1001 S. MAIN ST. PHONE 17

## Spent Sunday Here.

Clarence Cook, who is looking after  
the Cook farm, near Skidmore, spent  
Sunday in the city, visiting his parents,  
Mr. and Mrs. James Cook.

## Loyal Daughters Sunday School Class

An Evening of Entertainment  
Silver Offering. A FarceThe Bachelor's Dream  
MARCH THIRTIETH



## CARUSO

World-famous Tenor, says:

"Tuxedo completely satisfies my tobacco taste. It is mild and has a delicious flavor. Most important of all, from a singer's standpoint, Tuxedo does not irritate my throat."

## "Tuxedo Does Not Irritate My Throat"

The non-irritating quality of Tuxedo which Caruso praises is due to the original "Tuxedo Process" by which the tobacco is treated. This process refines the tobacco and absolutely removes all bite and sting.

Many thousands of men think they cannot smoke a pipe, for fear the tobacco might burn or parch their mouths. Tuxedo has done away with any such possibility. You can smoke Tuxedo all day long, without any irritation whatsoever—indeed, with increasing pleasure.

# Tuxedo

The Perfect Tobacco for Pipe and Cigarette



is made from rich, mild, fragrant Kentucky Burley—acknowledged to be the finest pipe-tobacco in the world—aged until it is pipe-perfect and smokes coolly and slowly.

You cut off an inch of inspiration and real joy every hour you stay away from Tuxedo. Because it's so good, so true, so delicious, so fragrant, its memory lingers every time your smoke-appetite gets tuned up.

### YOU CAN BUY TUXEDO EVERYWHERE

Convenient, glassine wrapped, moisture-proof pouch . . . 5c  
Famous Green Tin with gold lettering, curved to fit pocket . . . 10c  
In Tin Humidors 40c and 80c In Glass Humidors 50c and 90c

THE AMERICAN TOBACCO COMPANY

## Closing Out Sale

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction, at the farm, 4 miles west and 4 1/2 miles south of Maryville and 1/2 mile south of Rockford church, on

**Thursday, April 1**

Beginning at 10 o'clock, the following property, to-wit:

6 HEAD OF HORSES—Consisting of 1 bay mare 8 years old, weighing about 1,300 pounds; 1 bay mare 6 years old, weighing 1,200 pounds; 1 bay mare coming 4 years old, weighing about 1,150 pounds; 1 iron gray gelding coming 3 years old, weighing 1,100; 1 coming 3-year-old filly weighing 1,050 pounds; 1 Shetland pony coming 3 years old, well broke and gentle.

11 HEAD OF CATTLE—Consisting of 8 milch cows with calves at side, 3 coming yearling calves.

43 HEAD OF HOGS—Consisting of 20 brood sows, most of them with litters and others to farrow soon; 23 fall shoats weighing about 50 pounds each. Four dozen pure bred Rhode Island Red chickens.

GRAIN AND HAY—500 bushels corn in crib and small quantity of hay and kaffir corn.

FARM IMPLEMENTS—2 wagons, 2 sets work harness, 2 walking cultivators, 1 sulky plow, 1 3-section steel harrow, 1 John Deere corn planter complete, almost new, 1 disc cultivator, almost new, 1 disc harrow, 1 hay frame, McCormick mower and rake, 1 2-seated carriage, almost new, 1 set carriage harness.

Some household goods, about 20 bushels Early Ohio potatoes. Other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS—Sums under \$10 cash. On sums of \$10 and over a credit of 6, 9 or 12 months will be given, purchasers giving bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. Lunch by ladies of Rockford church.

R. P. Hosmer, Auct.

Jos. Jackson, Jr., Clerk.

**O. D. Walker**

## Administrator's Public Sale

I will sell the following personal property at public auction at the late residence of Alexander Bailey, ten miles southwest of Maryville and five miles straight east of Skidmore, on

**Wednesday, March 31**

Beginning promptly at 11 o'clock

49 HEAD OF COWS—25 cows, 5 of which have young calves and the balance are springers; 24 good yearlings, part heifers.

6 HEAD OF HORSES—One good 4-year-old work horse weighing about 1,300 lbs. and the balance are common kind.

25 HEAD OF HOGS—8 big Poland-China brood sows; 1 Thoroughbred Poland-China 2-year-old boar and the balance fall shoats.

GRAIN AND HAY—About 1,200 bushels of good ear corn; 100 bushels of oats and 30 tons of good hay.

IMPLEMENTS—2 old wagons, good spring wagon, 2 sets of heavy harness, corn binder, mower, hay loader, hay rake, 2 double-row go-devils, 14-knife disc, 2 listers, one riding with drill attachment, 2 steel harrows, 2 cultivators (one 2-row riding), single shovel marker, bob sled, 100-gal. cast iron boiler, 2 fence machines, old horse power, two-hole power corn sheller, 50 gallon steel coal oil tank, almost full; goodcook stove, Round Oak heater, almost new; big oak refrigerator, bedstead and springs, table, couch and other household articles. Scoops, forks, spades, saws, log chains, and other articles.

TERMS—Under \$10 cash, over that amount from 3 to 12 months time will be given on bankable notes drawing 8 per cent from date. Lunch by ladies of Rockford Church.

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.  
S. H. KEMP, Clerk.

**Clearance D. Bailey, Adm.**

### LINER BEATS OUT SUBMARINE

Arabic by Speed Avoids Being Torpedoed in Irish Sea.

Liverpool, March 29.—The White Star liner Arabic, New York to Liverpool, was chased by a German submarine in the Irish sea, its passengers reported upon their arrival here. For thirty miles the Germans vainly endeavored to get close enough to shoot a torpedo. The Arabic shot away from the German with a burst of speed that left the submarine far behind.

American passenger laughed at the thrilling chase. They crowded the rails, they said, and watched the German shoot over the surface of the water, sending showers of spray.

Once the Arabic put on full speed it was never in danger, they said, drawing away from the submarine with comparative ease. The submarine abandoned the chase several miles off the mouth of the Mersey.

### Bulgaria Prepared For War.

London, March 29.—A Reuter dispatch from Sofia says that a parliamentary commission, charged with the task of ascertaining the country's reserve resources, has reported to a secret session of parliament that Bulgaria now is better prepared for war than before the war with Turkey.

### Liverpool Dockers Back at Work.

London, March 29.—Responding to appeals made by War Secretary Kitchen, the Earl of Derby and the leaders of their unions, the Liverpool dockers unanimously resumed work. The men at Birkenhead, however, still remain out and are tying up work on several big ships.

### President Takes Few Days' Vacation.

Washington, March 29.—President Wilson will take a short vacation, lasting until Thursday morning, going to Annapolis to attend a luncheon in his honor on board the Argentine battleship Moreno this afternoon, as the guest of Dr. Romulo S. Naon, the Argentine ambassador.

### France Has 2,500,000 in Field.

Paris, March 29.—According to a statement of the war office, including all ranks, France now has more than 2,500,000 men at the front. The infantry companies are at least 200 strong. In many regiments the companies have a strength of 250 or more.

### No Change For Henderson.

Charleston, S. C., March 29.—Physicians in attendance on Professor Charles R. Henderson of the University of Chicago, who is critically ill here, reported his condition unchanged.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

## BATTLES IN BOTH EAST AND WEST

CARPATHIANS AND MEUSE ARE SCENES OF FIERCE FIGHTING.

### BOTH SIDES CLAIM GAINS

Allied Fleet Awaits Reinforcements Before Renewing Attacks on Dardanelles Ports—German Submarine Vessels Again Are Showing Activity.

### WAR SUMMARY

On the heights of the Meuse in France the French war office declares about 300 yards of trenches were taken from the Germans. Berlin denies this.

Petrograd and Vienna are at variance with regard to who has had the upper hand in the Carpathians. In north and central Poland the fighting is stubborn west of the Niemen and in the vicinity of the rivers Skwa and Amulew.

Defeat of the Turks in the Black sea region is chronicled by Petrograd. Allied aviators have attacked the German aviation camp at Chistelles, Belgium.

A heavy bombardment has been heard coming from the Gulf of Saros, probably directed against the Turkish forts on the Gallipoli peninsula. In the Dardanelles a battleship has been throwing shells into batteries at Kilid Bahr.

German submarines again are operating in the Irish sea and it is believed that at least one more steamer has been sunk by them.

London, March 29.—The battles for the Carpathian passes continue with extreme violence, this being the only region where, for the moment, fighting on a large scale is taking place.

In the west the commanders are waiting for better conditions before making any effort on a large scale, although the French here and there are attempting to capture positions which would give them an advantage when the general offensive is decided upon.

Their more recent efforts have been directed against the heights of the Meuse, to the east and south of Verdun, in which both they and the Germans claim to have made gains. The object of these operations is to compel the Germans to evacuate St. Mihiel, where their line reaches the river Meuse, causing a considerable bending of the French front.

### Awaits Reinforcements.

Of the operations in the Dardanelles nothing has been officially published for some days.

It is supposed that the allied fleet is waiting for the mine sweepers to complete their work before the attacks on the forts are renewed, and perhaps also for the arrival of reinforcements of ships, men and ammunition.

Upon the success of these operations depends not only the fate of Turkey, but probably the future policy of the Balkan states and Italy.

In Italy big demonstrations were held, calling upon the government to take action to realize the ambitions of the country; while in the Balkan capitals the diplomats of the allied nations are busily engaged in an endeavor to reorganize the Balkan league and insure the simultaneous intervention of all the Balkan powers on the side of the allies.

### Card of Thanks.

I wish to thank my many friends who so willingly helped me win the piano in the Remus contest.

MRS. J. C. JOHNSON.

### Plans to Raise \$1,000,000 For Vassar.

Philadelphia, March 29.—A campaign for a \$1,000,000 endowment fund, to be completed by October, 1916, as a birthday present to Vassar college on its fiftieth anniversary, was announced by Henry Noble MacCracken, president of the college.

### Buying Horses For Italy.

Chicago, March 29.—Two Italians, said to represent the Italian government, have been steadily buying horses at the stock yards here for the last three months. Heavy purchases have been made also at East St. Louis, Ill., it was learned.

## EITEL MAY BE TOWED TO NEW YORK BERTH

Newport News, Va., March 29.—Reports that the Prinz Eitel Friedrich would be towed to New York within the three-mile limit were current here following the arrival of a big seagoing tug equipped with wireless, which tied up to a ship yard pier close to the German cruiser.

The battleship Alabama, carrying the flag of Rear Admiral J. L. Helms of the Atlantic reserve fleet, sailed from the Philadelphia navy yard for neutrality duty in Hampton Roads.

### CHICHESTER'S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND. Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold wrapper. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS. No other name on wrapper. Always Reliable. Sold by Druggists Everywhere.

### Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for the numerous acts, kindness and sympathy shown us through the sickness and death of our wife and mother. Also for the many beautiful floral offerings.—C. C. Smith and Family.

Let me hear your watch tick

If you want your watch repaired by a skillful repairer bring it to me. I employ a watchmaker who knows his business.

All work guaranteed. No matter how badly your watch is broken it can be repaired at



PERFECT FITTING GLASSES

Are assured you if you come to Crane's. Our expert Optician will test your eyes free and fit them with proper glasses.

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JEWELER AND OPTICIAN

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15 PAIR WORK MULES  
3 to 5 years old  
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Will be sold this year in Nodaway and Atchison Counties

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A BANK FOR SAVINGS  
MARYVILLE MISSOURI

## F-4 IS LOCATED AFTER HOPE LOST

PORTIONS OF ITS SUPERSTRUCTURE BROUGHT TO SURFACE.

### DREDGE TO SHIFT ITS MOORINGS

Immense Diving Bell Constructed to Enable Work of Lifting Submarine From Bottom of Sea to Be Carried on More Swiftly.

Honolulu, March 29.—The submerged submarine F-4 has been located outside the harbor, it was announced. Portions of the superstructure have been brought to the surface. The dredge California will shift moorings, tugs will criss-cross in all directions and an attempt will be made to lift the submarine.

W. C. Parks, a civil engineer, has started the construction of an immense diving bell, a fifty-four-inch cast iron pipe seven feet in height, fitted with plate glass port. The diving bell is expected to be ready for use today. A hydroplane has been prepared for instant flight if required.

Heroic attempts previously to bring to the surface from a great depth an object that appeared to be the submarine resulted in the discovery by two divers that it was only an old anchor, probably lost by the battleship Oregon. The divers went to a depth of 215 feet.

Refusing to be disheartened by this discovery, hundreds of rescue workers, although tired by their long work and without sleep for many hours, redoubled their efforts and another body believed to be the F-4 was located.

### BROWN VILLE ALARMED

Prospects of Artillery Fight Across the Rio Grande.

Brownsville, Tex., March 29.—Grave apprehensions were aroused among officials here by the report that Villa officers have decided the defenses of Matamoros, opposite here, must be reduced, presumably by artillery.

The probability of artillery shells falling in Brownsville was indicated by the wounding of two persons in the residence section here by stray rifle bullets, during the first assault on Matamoros trenches. This assault was a costly failure for the Villa forces, in which their losses were officially given as 100 killed and 400 wounded.

Upon orders from Washington, Colonel Blockson, commanding the border patrol here, stopped the bringing of Mexican wounded to this side and placed a guard over those already here. Thus far only two deaths have occurred among the 200 Villa wounded here.

### Here from Tarkio.

Mrs. E. C. Henson of Tarkio arrived in the city yesterday to visit her son, E. E. Brewer, and family.

### DEMOCRAT-FORUM

## WANT ADS

For Results. For Results.

Classified ads running three days or more one-half cent per word for each insertion; minimum rate 25c for three days. Interruptions 1 cent a word for each insertion.

### For Rent.

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### Miscellaneous.

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